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## KAISER'S OWN STORY OF WAR.

"Times" to Print Former German Emperor's Just-Completed Book Sunday.

Ex-Kaiser Wilhelm's own story of the great war, his own account of the influences and inside politics which precipitated the world conflict, will be printed for the first time in The Times next Sunday. Through an arrangement with the New York Herald, The Times has secured the exclusive publications rights in Los Angeles for an exhaustive digest of the book which the former German Emperor has just completed during his exile in Holland. It is perhaps the most remarkable document yet published about the war.

Debs may be given freedom.

Harding Orders Review of Case Against Noted Leader of Socialist Party.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—Eugene V. Debs, thrice candidate of the Socialist party for President, may gain his freedom from the Atlanta penitentiary through the clemency of President Harding. The President today ordered Attorney General Clegg to review the case. No action will be taken before Mr. Debs is heard.

Harding is unable to attend meeting.

NEW YORK, March 17.—President Harding today telegraphed Commander F. W. Gilbreath of the United States Army, asking him to attend the all-American meeting to be held here tomorrow in protest against the Rhine horror mass meeting of two weeks ago.

YOU MAY SAY "DRAW ONE."

Old Battle Cry to be Renewed; Same Goes for Prescriptions.

CHICAGO, March 17.—"Draw one." This half-forgotten battle cry of the thirsty may yet be heard again. It will echo, however, not against the shining cut glass and the fleckless mirror. Rather, it will spend its rough sweetness on the sticky onyx and lustrous nickel of the modern soda fountain. But the results will be the same, and after all, it is results that count.

NOTE IS SIGNIFICANT.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—Action of army and navy officers in refusing to permit American troops to participate in evacuation day parade at Boston, of which Irish freedom advocates are in charge, was formally approved today by President Harding after a conference with Secretary Hughes of the State Department and Secretary Weeks of the War Department.

TURNING DOWN THE IRISH.

Harding Refuses to Allow Use of Troops to Aid in Sinn Féin Propaganda.

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CHINESE IS KILLED

NEAR SACRAMENTO.

SACRAMENTO, March 17.—Chong Yee Lach, 45, was shot and killed this evening at Lock, about thirty-five miles down the river, in the police believed to be a new outbreak of the Chinese long war. He was approached from the back on the road by the assassin, who shot him three times through the head and once through the body.

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## JURY'S VERDICT IS NOT GUILTY.

Only One Ballot Needed to Acquitt Clara Hamon.

"Only Thing We Could Do," Says Talesman.

Applause Follows Rendering of Panel Decision.

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day or two and then probably will go to Wilson to stay with her sister a few days. Her father is seriously ill at El Paso, Tex., and she said she must return there to be with him.

Arguments of three of the defense counsel and the closing argument of Atty.-Gen. Freeling occupied all of today's sessions. The defense attacked the Hamon testimony, alleging a fight against Clara Hamon was made by the Hamon millions, in which the millions of associates were killed. Gov. J. B. A. Robertson of Oklahoma, also was assailed for having sent the Hamon millions to prosecute the case, asserting his action was unjust.

VERDICT ACCEPTED.

"As I said in my closing argument to the jury, your verdict is final. I shall accept it," Mr. Freeling said tonight. "I attempted to argue and try the case on the merits and facts as introduced, in a fair, concise and accurate way."

When the efforts to waive arguments were held up yesterday afternoon, W. P. McLean, chief counsel for the Hamon millions, testified that the Hamon millions had given him the names of several friends in whose interest he should go direct to President Harding.

During his appeal to the jury, Mr. McLean testified that Clara Hamon had been shot and had been given diamonds given her by Mr. Hamon to pay the expense of her trial.

INFORMATION STILL HELD.

Mr. Ketch testified over objection of J. L. Hodge, assistant county attorney, who arose in court as Mr. Ketch was called to the witness stand and said an informant charging him with being an accessory after the fact in connection with the death of Mr. Hamon had been drawn. It was understood that the fact that he testified gave Mr. Ketch immunity.

Tonight it was said that the information still was in the county attorney's hands.

During the trial it was brought out that Clara Hamon had made a statement that she believed Mr. Hamon was innocent, and that she was being kept secret until after the trial. Tonight her attorneys were uncommunicative as to rumors and reports that they, in view of the young woman's acquittal today, intended to bring suit against the Hamon estate.

Clara Hamon formerly was Clara Barton Smith, daughter of Dr. J. B. Barton, who was killed by a train in 1914.

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## WORKING GIRLS HAVE BIG FEET.

So Say New York Shoe Men Who Are Observers.

Idle Women Take Time to Shop for Proper Sizes.

Business Women Buy in Hurry and Get Corns.

BY HARRY CARR. (EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)

NEW YORK, March 17.—This is terrible news for the poor working girl, but the truth is, her feet are getting big. A big New York shoe store in the fashionable Fifth-avenue district has recently opened a branch store on Broadway about four blocks away.

Those who buy at the Broadway store are mostly young business women, stenographers, clerks, operators and the like.

The shoes sold at the Fifth-avenue store are, on an average, from three to four sizes smaller than those sold at the Broadway store.

Also the clerks at the Fifth-avenue store observe that the feet of the society butlers are in better condition than their professional sisters. They have fewer corns, bunions and afflictions.

Clerks who have been in the service a long time make the further observation that the feet of the women are constantly growing in size—also in ugliness.

"The reason professionals give for their toes," said a shoe expert at the Fifth-avenue store, "is that they have to stand on their feet more than the idle women. They are not careful enough about buying the right shoe."

working girl—and by this I mean every professional woman—comes breezing into a shoe store during the noon hour and asks for a pair of shoes. More or less, she will get what she really wants if she can find it, but if she can't, she will take the nearest thing she can find to what she wants.

DOES MUCH SHOPPING.

"The society girl, on the other hand, will shop half a day for a pair of shoes. She will try all the shoes in most of the shoe stores in New York City, and she will not buy until her feet are really fitted."

"The result is that the professional woman goes limping away in a pair of shoes that do not really fit her feet. She gets corns and bunions and her next pair of shoes have to be bigger in order to ease her aching 'dogs' so she keeps getting bigger and more shapless as to feet every year of her life."

"Another thing many girls with small feet deliberately buy shoes too large because small ones are too expensive."

The general impression is that a girl with very small feet gets all kinds of shoe bargains. Well, she doesn't. She may pick up some small shoe samples that usually do not fit her feet, but a girl with very small feet has to pay out a lot of money to get shoes that really fit.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—There is no place in the Federal service for the "mere officeholder."

GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES MUST WORK AND EARN PAY. DECLARES PRESIDENT.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

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Harding told the Executive Committee of the National Federation of Federal Employees, which he addressed today, that the President urged increased efficiency and interest in the government service, and that the government workers would best obtain increases in salary.

Through L. C. Steward, president of the Federation, the committee presented a statement to the President outlining what it regarded as the essential means to the achievement of improved employment conditions and greater efficiency in the government service. These include reclassification and reorganization of the civil service and the establishment of a national budget system.

BRITAIN TO BUILD FOUR BIG WARSHIPS.

HULLS OF FOUR OF HOOD TYPE TO BE LAID DOWN WITHIN YEAR, COMMONS TOLD.

(BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LONDON, March 17.—Four capital warships of the Hood type will be laid down within a year, Sir James Craig, parliamentary and financial secretary to the Admiralty, announced in the House of Commons today.

The Hood is a battle cruiser of 41,200 tons normal displacement. She carries eight 15-inch guns, twelve 5.5-inch guns, 4-inch anti-aircraft guns, four three-pounders and five machine guns and has two submerged torpedo tubes and four above water. The vessel was launched in August 1915, and has a complement of 1,475 men.

PACKERS FREED IN PROFITTEERING CASES.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

NEW YORK, March 17.—Federal Judge Garvin today formally dismissed indictments charging profiteering, returned under the Lever act against the "five big meat packers"—Armour & Co., Swift & Co., Morris & Co., Wilson & Co. and the Cudahy Packing Co.

Dismissal followed the action of the Supreme Court in holding the Lever Act in part unconstitutional.

FIND TYPHUS SUSPECTS.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

NEW YORK, March 17.—Discovery of two more suspected cases of typhus were reported by health officials here today.

## PLAN ENACTMENT OF BUDGET BILL.

SENATOR MCCORMICK BELIEVES THAT MEASURE WILL BE PASSED BY SESSION.

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)

WASHINGTON, March 17.—Enactment of a budget bill will be on the legislative program of the new Congress when it meets in April. Senator McCormick of Illinois, sponsor for the measure in the Senate during the last Congress, declared today he thought the budget bill would be one of the first general measures passed when the special session gets under way.

Senator McCormick will introduce the bill as it was finally agreed to in the House in the preceding Congress and he believes that it will be put through without material amendment. The bill as it now stands is the result of the compromise between the Senate and the House, which he believes will be the final compromise.

Before Congress meets Atty.-Gen. Daugherty will be requested to pass upon the constitutionality of the bill. The auditor-general should be appointed for life and should be entitled to re-election to the office of the law and led to a veto on the part of Mr. Wilson.

If this objection is valid, in the opinion of the present Department of Justice officials, the leaders in Congress do not desire to raise the issue again.

Senator McCormick also will introduce his bill for the reorganization of the government departments. This will be worked out by the joint committee on reorganization headed by Senator Smoot of Utah, which is now setting under way.

COMMODITY PRICES CONTINUE THEIR FALL.

WHOLESALE COSTS DOWN 2.3 PER CENT FROM PEAK OF MAY, 1929.

(BY A. P. DAY WIRE.)

WASHINGTON, March 17.—Wholesale prices of commodities continued to decrease in February with a drop of 2.4 per cent for the month, or a total decrease of 31.5 per cent from the peak prices of May, 1929, said the monthly bulletin issued today by the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Food declined 7 per cent for the month, or 38 per cent from prices a year ago, the bulletin showed. Building materials 7 per cent for the month, or 26 per cent below prices a year ago; farm products 1.4 per cent during the month, or 46 per cent for the year; and clothing prices 4.4 per cent for the year, and more than 44 per cent for the year.

Fuel and lighting prices dropped 4.4 per cent from January prices, but still showed an increase of 1.2 per cent over prices a year ago.

Road Appeals to Board.

(BY A. P. DAY WIRE.)

NEW YORK, March 17.—The New York Central Railroad, whose case revision proposal has been rejected by unskilled labor, today forwarded a petition to the Railroad Labor Board in Chicago, asking that tribunal to make the proposed reductions tentatively on April 1.

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GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES MUST WORK AND EARN PAY. DECLARES PRESIDENT.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

WASHINGTON, March 17.—There is no place in the Federal service for the "mere officeholder."

Harding told the Executive Committee of the National Federation of Federal Employees, which he addressed today, that the President urged increased efficiency and interest in the government service, and that the government workers would best obtain increases in salary.

Through L. C. Steward, president of the Federation, the committee presented a statement to the President outlining what it regarded as the essential means to the achievement of improved employment conditions and greater efficiency in the government service. These include reclassification and reorganization of the civil service and the establishment of a national budget system.

BRITAIN TO BUILD FOUR BIG WARSHIPS.

HULLS OF FOUR OF HOOD TYPE TO BE LAID DOWN WITHIN YEAR, COMMONS TOLD.

(BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LONDON, March 17.—Four capital warships of the Hood type will be laid down within a year, Sir James Craig, parliamentary and financial secretary to the Admiralty, announced in the House of Commons today.

The Hood is a battle cruiser of 41,200 tons normal displacement. She carries eight 15-inch guns, twelve 5.5-inch guns, 4-inch anti-aircraft guns, four three-pounders and five machine guns and has two submerged torpedo tubes and four above water. The vessel was launched in August 1915, and has a complement of 1,475 men.

PACKERS FREED IN PROFITTEERING CASES.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

NEW YORK, March 17.—Federal Judge Garvin today formally dismissed indictments charging profiteering, returned under the Lever act against the "five big meat packers"—Armour & Co., Swift & Co., Morris & Co., Wilson & Co. and the Cudahy Packing Co.

Dismissal followed the action of the Supreme Court in holding the Lever Act in part unconstitutional.

FIND TYPHUS SUSPECTS.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

NEW YORK, March 17.—Discovery of two more suspected cases of typhus were reported by health officials here today.

## WORKING GIRLS HAVE BIG FEET.

So Say New York Shoe Men Who Are Observers.

Idle Women Take Time to Shop for Proper Sizes.

Business Women Buy in Hurry and Get Corns.







## NEWS ITEM

Dispatch from Akron, Ohio, states every tire factory but two are running behind with orders, and practically every factory has fewer tires on hand than normally carried.

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## DAILY TRADE TALK

Has Foreign Trade Financing Fallen Down? Glance at the Markets; Oil; Review.

BY CHAPIN HALL.

A few days ago a well-known financial expert, looking through the columns of an eastern newspaper, an open letter to the bankers of America, in which he took them severely to task for the alleged shirking of their duties and responsibilities in the matter of foreign-trade financing.

He declared that, with much beating of tomtoms, a \$100,000,000 corporation was announced to sell goods to the people of other countries in long-term credit, and thus keep our factories and mines and furnaces and railroads and ships busy and our wage-earners employed. Then he said:

"You bankers have fallen down miserably. You control \$3,000 financial institutions. Your profits last year were the largest in history. The arrangement made by your leaders in this movement was that you should provide the \$100,000,000 by subscribing to the extent of 6 per cent of your capital and surplus. Not one of you in a hundred has made good."

Rather a sweeping indictment, but that is not a subject of this story is shown by a communication received yesterday by Henry M. Robinson, president of the First National and Los Angeles Trust and Savings banks, from John McHugh, chairman of the committee on organization in New York.

SUBSCRIPTIONS COMING IN.

"Since writing you on February 17 we have made considerable progress in obtaining subscriptions to the capital stock of the Foreign Trade Financing Corporation.

"Based on the bank subscriptions, some firms in practically every line of industry have sent in subscriptions ranging from \$500 shares down to as small as ten, and even single shares from individuals. This distribution is especially pleasing, as it evidences the active support and cooperation of representative men throughout the country.

"This is a big undertaking, however, and its complete success depends on our receiving your support as well as that of other active bankers and business men actually engaged in the management of commercial enterprises."

"In writing you again, we wish to emphasize a point that may be of considerable assistance—in cases where firms feel that on account of existing conditions they cannot make the necessary total outlay at the present time to subscribe to stock in the corporation. This point was possibly not made entirely clear in our previous letter; the plan for subscription requires an initial payment of only 25 per cent of the total amount (which ten days' notice will be given), and the remainder, payable in installments of not less than 10 per cent, may be spread well into 1932.

"An effort is being made to amend the 25 per cent rule so that payments on the stock, after the first 25 per cent, will be left to the discretion of the directors, to the end that subscribers will not be called for only as funds are actually required; and this may extend the payments over an even longer period than indicated above. It is believed that this plan of payment will allow the local stock subscription for stock, who would find it difficult if other terms of payment were required."

ACTION NEEDED NOW.

Returning to the open letter referred to the writer says in conclusion:

"While you (American bankers) have been talking loudly, London's bankers have been acting vigorously, and tremendously effectively, though possessing only a fraction of your resources. British bankers have been extending credit freely and in foreign markets, and, as a consequence, scooping in business which will intrude themselves on Americans who will not be easily dislodged them. Meanwhile, 4,000,000 American wage-earners are without work, and therefore, disposed to rail against our whole financial and industrial order."

There is no question that a great opportunity awaits the Foreign Trade Financing Corporation, and the sooner the subscriptions are completed and the machinery put in motion the better it will be for the business and the finances of this country.

## TROLLEY SITUATION.

Affairs of electric roads throughout the United States are returning to a stable basis. Power of them are asking receipts. Los Angeles has been especially fortunate in this regard, and this city has benefited less through regulatory rates than almost any other first-class municipality in the country.

Most of them the 5-cent fare long since became only a pleasant memory.

A report just compiled by the American Electric Railway Association shows that 448 cities in the United States, representing more than 90 per cent of the riding population in cities, are paying fares ranging from 5 cents with a 1-cent transfer charge, to a rate of 10 cents. The largest groups are: Cities paying 10-cent fare, 71; 5-cent fare, 174; and 6-cent fare, 124. Other groups follow. Cities paying 8-cent cash fare, 10; 7-cent fare, 174; and 6-cent fare, 124. Other groups follow. Cities paying 8-cent cash fare, 10; 7-cent fare, 174; and 6-cent fare, 124. Other groups follow.

## LATEST PRICES ON BUTTER AND EGGS.

LOS ANGELES, March 17. Produce Exchange closing prices: Butter, creamery extras, 42; Eggs, cases included, fresh extras, 31; case count, 29; pullets, 25; Cheese, California, 24; 25.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 17.—Butter, extras, 40; Eggs, fresh extras, 32; extra, 30; 29; 28; 27; 26; 25; 24; 23; 22; 21; 20; 19; 18; 17; 16; 15; 14; 13; 12; 11; 10; 9; 8; 7; 6; 5; 4; 3; 2; 1; 0.

NEW YORK, March 17.—Butter, steady; creamery, higher than extras, 45; 44; 43; 42; 41; 40; 39; 38; 37; 36; 35; 34; 33; 32; 31; 30; 29; 28; 27; 26; 25; 24; 23; 22; 21; 20; 19; 18; 17; 16; 15; 14; 13; 12; 11; 10; 9; 8; 7; 6; 5; 4; 3; 2; 1; 0.

CHICAGO, March 17.—Butter, lower; creamery extras, 43; 42; 41; 40; 39; 38; 37; 36; 35; 34; 33; 32; 31; 30; 29; 28; 27; 26; 25; 24; 23; 22; 21; 20; 19; 18; 17; 16; 15; 14; 13; 12; 11; 10; 9; 8; 7; 6; 5; 4; 3; 2; 1; 0.

LOS ANGELES STOCKS.

While the market was somewhat broader than it has been it still lacks

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## FINANCIAL.

Los Angeles, March 17, 1932. Bank clearing at the Los Angeles Federal Reserve Bank, March 17, 1932, as compared with a corresponding day in 1931.

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## STOCKS AND BONDS

IN SAN FRANCISCO.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

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ly, for he added, "I was a master workman or a 'boss puddler,' as they call it, but I suppose 'master workman' sounds better.

"My father was a puddler, too, and so was his father in iron."

Davis is strong. The other day

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# The People and Their Daily Troubles

## DOROTHY DIX TALKS TO PLEASE THE LADIES.

BY DOROTHY DIX.

A youth writes me that he greatly desires to be a riot with ladies, and asks me to tell him some of the things that girls like in a man.

Well, first, a girl likes a man to be nice looking. This does not mean that he must have a Greek profile, and ambrosial curls, or display any other mark of semblance to a young Apollo.

Women are not strong for the beauty stuff in man. They consider they have a monopoly on that line, and if there is any admiring to be done, they want the man to hand it to them. They don't want to have to tell any male creature what wonderful eyes he's got. Besides a living picture man holds the world's record for self-conceit, and he makes a hit with no living human being but himself.

When a girl says that she likes a man to look nice, she means that she likes a man to look like a well-dressed man, one who looks as if he had an intimate daily acquaintance with a tub, and a safety razor, and a manicure set.

Furthermore, a girl likes a well-dressed man. She likes the man who wears the right kind of clothes at the right time and place, who has sense and taste, and judgment enough not to wear shirts and socks, and ties that shriek at each other, and who does not get himself up in mud-colored clothes like a human scarecrow. A man likes to be seen out with a girl who is pretty and dainty and well-dressed. Women care even more for appearances than a man does, and while a girl doesn't want a man to look like a magazine illustration of ready-made clothes, she does like to go about with an escort who makes the other girls sit up and take notice.

A girl likes a man who knows how to dance without walking all over her feet, and nailing her for life; who can play a good game of bridge; who can play tennis and golf, and swim, and row a boat and drive an automobile. These are the small changes with which a man helps his way in society. Everybody dances, and plays games, and whether a girl wants to play around with a man, depends on his skill. One's feet and hands have to be educated quite as carefully in these days as one's brain.

Girls like a man who is a good talker, and easy to entertain. They dislike the silent chap, who has to have every word corkered out of him, and who leaves the whole



meal, and they loathe a man who is always having arguments, and disputes with waiters, and ushers and street-car conductors.

Girls like a man who spends money freely, but not extravagantly. A lot of men think that they have to buy a girl's liking, and that the way to make a hit is to lavish flowers, and candy, and theater tickets upon girls. This is a mistake. It is true that there are plenty of strutting fellows who will work a man for all he is worth, who will take all that he will give and hint for more, but the man who lets himself be played for an easy thing is a fool who deserves to pay the price of his folly.

The right sort of girl hasn't a price tag on her liking, and a man doesn't win favor in her eyes by spending more on her than he can afford. If he does, she has contempt for him, rather than admiration. She doesn't want a man to have to eat at a lunch counter because he took her in a taxi and bought her American Beauty roses and gave her a \$25 supper after the play, but neither does she want a tight-fisted, dead-beat who eats but no dinners, and camps on her parlor chair and never makes any return.

A girl likes a man who remembers. Goodness knows why, but woman test a man's regard for her by his memory, and there isn't a mother's daughter of them that wouldn't rather have a 10-cent bunch of sweet peas, because a man remembered that she said that they were her favorite flowers, than \$20 worth of orchids that were sent, but not remembered.

There is no shorter cut to popularity than for a man to remember the birthdays, and the anniversaries of the days he first met women, and the brand of chocolates they like, and the book they are pressed a desire to read, and the kind of dress they were of certain occasions. The average woman would rather have a picture postcard saved with memory, than a diamond tiara without it.

Oh, it's easy enough to make a hit with the girls, son. They are not overcritical, and are willing to give the benefit of the doubt to any nice, clean, manly young chap who tries to please them.

### LETTERS TO "THE TIMES."

Love and Diet.

LOS ANGELES, March 16.—[To the Editor of The Times:] Through your temperamental barometer, I should like to feel of the public pulse. I find that we are a people fast going out of love. I further find that the Scriptures bear me out in this, in that they say that in the last days natural affection will be on the decline.

Life is a cold dismal proposition

## GASOLINE ALLEY—WALT IS AN AUTHORITY ON MIXTURES



Without love or religion as fundamentals at its basis, and yet this is not true in most lives. There are various causes for the decline of love, some few of which I will mention.

Steady nerves, good physical condition is fundamentally necessary to generate this holy mind or attract it unto ourselves. Physically, we are far below par. Living on cold storage, chemicalized, doped-up foods, canned foods, grains with the life taken out of them, the stress and strain of modern life, nervousness, baldness, weak eyes, loose teeth, too fat, and too thin—all mitigate against radiating or attracting this greatest of God's gifts—love.

It is strange that so little attention has been given to it. Sex ignorance has played its part in killing the beautiful instinct of love.

All stimulants, from tea to dope, have depreciated love and its possibilities. Stimulants destroy our finer sensibilities, dope up the heart and brain, and weaken our love propensities.

God recognizes the great power and beauty of love and has the first application upon our affections.

Even animals, the lowest animals, appreciate love affection. Why do we labor for that which satisfies not? Why do we spend our money for that which is not bread?

late George Eliot once said of certain characters that "As it takes all kinds of people to make a world, therefore, there must be some of this kind of people." I might add on my own account that a seemingly large share of religious and other varieties of cranks have in some manner not only found their way to sunny Southern California, but have selected for their favorite resort your beautiful Little Pershing Square.

We might suppose now that one who felt the inward impulse to save society might appeal through the magazines and newspapers to a much larger audience; but that would require brains, and on reflection we know that this kind of people haven't any; or they might hire a hall and, getting together audiences of their way of thinking, talk them all to death; but then again this kind of people never have any money. And thus it comes about that going down to the little park there in the center of the business section in the afternoon of pleasant days where we so often come across friends and acquaintances of other days we invariably find individuals of this class about to litigate groups, generally herded together in its upper section, just south of the fountain, or further up toward the corner of Olive and Sixth. When they begin to block the walks the policeman will frequently disperse them, but the moment his services are required elsewhere they will gather together in some other section with the same results; two or more joining in a heated discussion, others now and then interjecting questions, but one spouter-in-chief always raising his arms toward high heaven or events. But I recall the fact that the

pounding one open palm with the opposite clenched fist, and shouting salvation through Christ, or revolution and bloodshed as a panacea for present social ills. If unaccustomed to such violent gesticulation and heated declamation you might fear for the foundations of our social fabric; but do not be alarmed; his remarks fall, for the most part, on unsympathetic ears, and, after all, his only weapon of offense is the jaw bone of an ass.

J. NUX CLARK.

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### Extra Values for Today PETTICOATS

The petticoats are the late spring models, arriving at Robinson's only a day or so ago. They are all shadow-proof, straight-line garments with an elastic at the belt, fastening with 2 snaps.

One of the newest of these is a spray of flowers, embroidered in self color, across the lower edge of the front panel.

- 50 Petticoats of Tub Silk have scalloped instead of a hem, with front panel lined ..... \$2.95
- 50 Petticoats are of Cotton Baronette (Juliet Cloth) scalloped at the bottom; embroidered on the front panel in satin stitch. Front and back panels lined ..... \$3.95
- 100 Tub Silk Petticoats, fancy scalloped; embroidered spray on lower edge of front panel. Front and back panels lined. In white and flesh ..... \$3.95
- 10 Tailored Petticoats of white satin. Finished with 4-inch hemstitched hem. Double panels, front and back ..... \$2.95
- 100 Satin Petticoats of fine quality. 12-inch double-trimmed hem, hemstitching in V pattern. Double panels front and back. In white and flesh ..... \$4.95
- 50 Satin Petticoats have insertion and edging of Calais lace at the lower edge. Rosette of ribbon on the lace. In white and flesh. Lined throughout ..... \$4.95
- 50 Petticoats of very heavy satin. Trimmed with 3 rows of hemstitching and an applied band of satin. Lined points. Double panels, front and back. In white and flesh ..... \$3.95

### Extra Value for Saturday—Tomorrow Easter Candies 1-2 Price

Saturday a large assortment of Rabbits and Jevne's and Lyons' Candies will be offered at Half Price.

- Easter Rabbits**
- Every childish heart and many of the older ones consider a delightful Easter rabbit filled with candy, a necessary part of the time. These large Rabbits are ready to be filled.
- 25 Rabbits, regularly ..... .45
- 25 Rabbits, regularly ..... \$1.00
- 50 Rabbits, regularly ..... \$1.25
- 50 Rabbits, regularly ..... \$2.25
- Jevne's Chocolates**
- 20 Boxes of 5 lb. Excellent Chocolates, regularly 50¢, Extra Special ..... \$5.00
- 10 Boxes of 5 lb. Supreme Chocolates, regularly ..... \$2.50
- 10 Boxes of 5 lb. Supreme Chocolates, regularly ..... \$4.50
- 20 Boxes of 1 lb. Society Mints, regularly ..... \$1.10
- 50 Boxes of 1 lb. Fruit Whips, regularly ..... \$2.75
- Lyons' Glace Fruit Chocolate**
- 25 Boxes of 1 lb. Chocolate Covered Glace Fruit, regularly ..... \$1.75
- 50 Boxes of 1 lb. Chocolate Covered Glace Fruit, regularly ..... \$3.00

### Extra Value for Tomorrow—Saturday Chiffon Broadcloth, \$2.95

600 Yards of Chiffon Broadcloth are marked at \$2.95 a yard for Saturday. After that the price will be withdrawn.

This is material of very fine texture that pleats as delightfully as it gathers. In short, it has the elegance of finish that challenges the better quality of Chiffon Broadcloth.

Colors are pepper, tan, drab, Quaker, taupe, Bedouin, Delft, Mrs. Harding, navy, Annapolis, marine and black.

The cloth is 52x54 inches wide, and originally sold for a much higher figure.

On sale Saturday—600 Yards of Chiffon Broadcloth at \$2.95.

### Extra Value for Saturday—Tomorrow Burke Golf Clubs

A choice of any Burke Golf Club in stock is offered at \$3.50 for Saturday.

Mid-Irons, Mashies, Putters, Jiggers, Clecks, Brassies and Drivers are included in the lot.

Golf Balls are likewise offered at a reduction: Dunlop 31 Golf Balls. \$7.75 for box of 12. Lucky 30 Golf Balls. \$5.95 for box of 12.

SPORTING GOODS SECTION—FIFTH FLOOR

## 2090 Gossard, Bon Ton and Royal Worcester Corsets Discontinued Models at Half Price

More than 2000 Corsets at half price Saturday. Gossard, Bon Ton, Royal Worcester makes. Simply discontinued models in broken sizes. The differences between these and the regulars are very slight, often amounting only to change in shape of a rubber inset or the rearranging of hose supporters.

Though sizes are somewhat broken, there is still a fairly complete range of sizes in each style. The majority of them are in the right weights for spring and summer.



765 Gossard Corsets, made of pink satin, broche and coutil. Low and medium bust. Long skirt; 6 hose supporters. Regularly from \$12.00 to \$20.00. Now at 1/2 off.

975 Bon Ton Corsets of pink broche, coutil and batiste. Medium and low bust. Long skirt, 4 hose supporters. Regularly from \$6.50 to \$12.50. Now at 1/2 off.

350 Royal Worcester Corsets. Plain pink coutil and batiste. Medium bust, long skirt. Regularly from \$2.00 to \$3.50. Now at 1/2 off.

These three makes of Corsets have reputations for reliability that have been strengthened through many years.

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**SHINING LIGHTS.**  
 An English chemist claims that the human body is luminous. Guess he's got things mixed. Some men are voluminous, but they don't shed much light, at that.

**MAN OF THE HOUR.**  
 The most popular candidate for Mayor of Aurora is a barber who is running for the office on an efficiency platform. His chief qualifications for the office are that he is the best checker player in town and is the discoverer of the best hair tonic in the market. Likewise, he can go over a flock of hens and tell infallibly which ones are laying. Would to heaven we could have a competent Mayor like that in Los Angeles.

**SCHOOL PROBLEMS.**  
 The public schools of Philadelphia have to spend \$20,000,000 right away in order to be put into modern working condition. The young idea cannot be taught to shoot straight with the schools as they are at present. So it doth appear that their education has their educational problems of magnitude. If slow-growing Philadelphia can lag thus behind there is some warrant for inadequacy in a city moving up as fast as Los Angeles.

**PEACE MAKING.**  
 If the League of Nations hasn't much of anything on hand just now it might practice on the war between Tom Woolwine and Paul Schenck. Disarmament would be in order. A naval holiday would hardly do. A few schooners more or less would make no difference either way. The combined broadsides of the rival fleets are practically the same. Then there's the matter of reparations. Both may need some repairs. It really looks as if it were a matter for the League could properly undertake—that is, if an undertaker is necessary.

**PAYING THE PIPER.**  
 All the telephone, light, water, gas and railway corporations seem to be able to make a showing to warrant advancing service rates. They will have to increase their charges to meet the exactions of the King tax bill. That was understood at Sacramento in advance. But before this thing is over with the King tax bill is likely to cost the people many times the eight or ten millions it is supposed to carry. Never let it be forgotten that, no matter from what source the revenue may be assumed to come, it's the public that pays.

**CONTRABAND.**  
 The collector of customs at San Francisco is selling contraband whisky to drug stores as low as \$2 a gallon, under the guarantee that it shall be used under prescription for medicinal purposes only and that there shall be no proffering. This seems more sensible than pouring the stuff in the gutter. The authorities have been destroying thousands of bottles and barrels of old and high-priced liquors, while at the same time many druggists have been getting a fancy figure for a poor grade sold under a physician's prescription. If a poor patient must really have whisky, he must first pay a doctor for a prescription and then pay the druggist at the rate of about \$6 a pint for a low grade of the liquor. There is a big difference in whiskies—even for medicinal purposes, but those who might really need the best seldom get it. It doesn't seem like good business for the government to be dumping twenty-year-old liquor into the sewer in one section of the country and then authorizing the use of a lot of poor stuff for medicinal purposes in another.

**NATIONAL BLACK LISTS.**  
 Even the members of the American Legion are divided upon the question of an official publication of the names of the war-time "slackers." We were in the war eighteen months and it has been over with almost three years. Some are therefore asking what good can be accomplished by publishing the names and making an official list of those who failed to do their duty in the crisis. It would seem to be a good deal like most of these Congressional post-mortems. They stir up feeling, leave a bad odor, but accomplish no good beyond emphasizing past frailties and mistakes. It is like advertising one's infirmities. Furthermore, there were many "slackers" who may be classed as such through no fault of their own. The overfondness of a mother made many a one. No great purpose can be accomplished by their punishment at this time. There were others who were misunderstood or who became slackers for secret but excusable reasons. The publication of their sorrow and shame today would do good to no one nor to the country. The laws forbid the blacklisting of workers by employers or the publication of the names of dead boys; why should there be a national blacklist? It would behoove the government to be very accurate in its compilation. The unjust inclusion of a name would mean a tragedy. A country which three years after a war is just getting ready to advertise the names of those who fall asleep at the switch is not in good temper for a peace conference. So far as the Legion is concerned, a little more recognition for those who did their duty would be vastly better than a little more infamy for those who didn't.

## GERMAN BLUNDERING.

President Harding's inaugural address has caused "bitter disappointment" in Germany, according to the comments of the German press. The opinion seems to have prevailed beyond the Rhine that the Republican party in the United States was in favor of a complete break-away from the policy of the Allied nations. The Germans even expected some kind words in the inaugural address, in which there was never occurred to them that the objection to certain sections of the covenant of the League of Nations did not arise from any undue sympathy with national malefactors, but that a minority in the Senate, composed of more than one-third the membership, voted against the treaty to escape what they feared would be entangling alliances.

Apparently the Germans continue to regard themselves as the most important people in the world. They cannot conceive that their country has fallen to the status of a third-rate power and they would have preferred abuse from our President to no reference at all. There was no good reason that Germany should be dragged into the inaugural address, in which there was a careful avoidance of all discussion of foreign policies. The German editors do not apparently possess sufficient wit to distinguish between an address delivered when a President takes office and a President's message.

Curiously enough, it now appears that the German government expected President Harding to denounce the governments of Great Britain, France and Belgium for occupying additional German territory to enforce the terms of the peace treaty. They believed that our government would at once divorce itself completely from the Allied cause and that official notice of the change of policy would be given in the inaugural. To us it is amusing that the German government should be so ill-informed in regard to public opinion in the United States. But we must keep in mind that Germany depends upon her subsidized propagandists in this country for information as to the state of public opinion. Papers of the Hearst type are popular over there; and the propagandists have naturally been sending rosy reports of the effect of their efforts, knowing that to report progress would keep them longer on the secret pay roll of the German Foreign Office.

Bitter as the disillusionment appears to have been, the incident may have a whole-some effect on the German people. It is time they learned that public opinion in the United States has not wavered in its friendship for the countries lately associated with us in the World War; that there is no disposition here to aid Germany just because she is a defeated power; that the present administration is no more pro-German than its predecessor.

If the members of the German government had studied the policies of the publications owned by Harding and Cox and their personal utterances on the stump during the war they would have discovered that the President had been much more pronounced in his opposition to the course taken by the German government than his late Democratic predecessor. Expecting to find in President Harding a German sympathizer is one of the most absurd mistakes that any government could make. It casts a serious reflection upon President Ebert and his associates and it leads one to wonder why the rest of the world believed for so many years in the pretended superiority of the German intellect.

No other nation that participated in the war made such grotesque mistakes as Germany in the study of the psychology of other peoples. The German leaders did not believe that England would fight, did not believe her colonies would fight, did not believe that France was capable of more than a six months' resistance, did not believe that America would fight, did not believe the English people would endure the pish of starvation occasioned by submarine blockade—and, persisting in their error, they believed until the inaugural address was actually delivered, that President Harding and his administration would be pro-German and anti-Allies.

Perhaps we have judged the Germans too harshly in the past. We regarded them as our intellectual equals and condemned them for doing what our people would have scorned to do. Stupidity seemed to have been in part to blame for their militaristic ideas and their submarine campaigns; and stupidity alone can explain the expectation of the present German government that President Harding would desert the Allied cause and betray Germany.

## SUPPLY AND DEMAND.

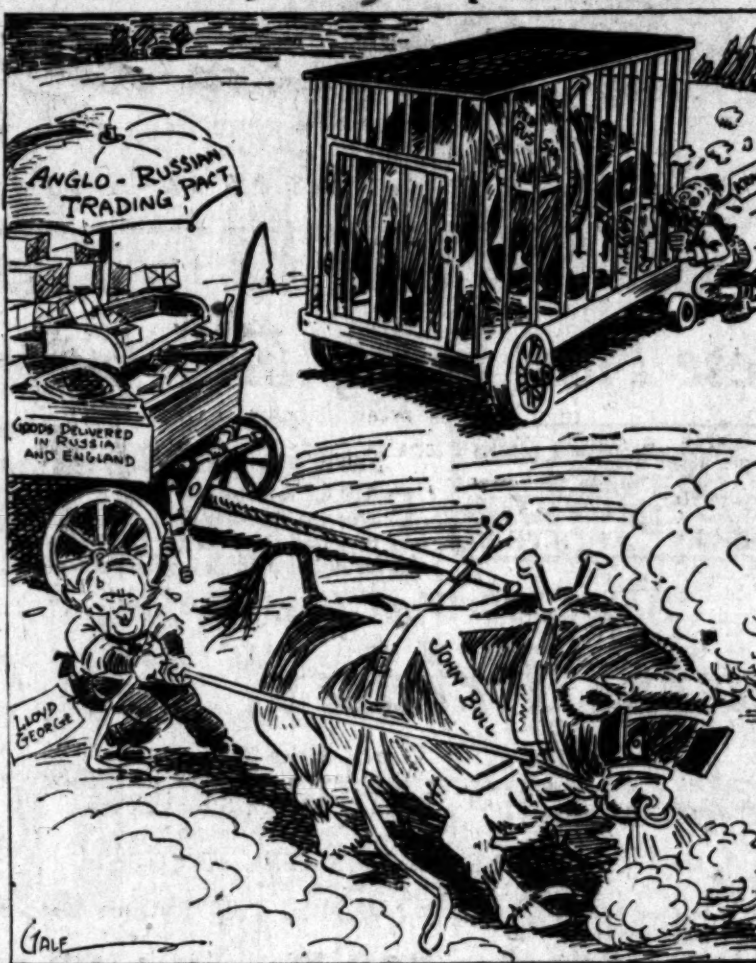
The law of supply and demand operates with mathematical precision. It is just as certain as  $2+2=4$ , but because the answer is not always as easily reached it is one of the hardest lessons in the arithmetic of life for a good many people to learn. This law works not only for commodities and food, for sugar and clothing, but in transportation and building and jails and everything else. When railroad rates were advanced last year the supply was put out of the reach of millions of persons who had therefore been able to afford the output. When this happens the demand automatically is reduced. When a chicken sandwich costs more than the man who wants a chicken sandwich can pay he goes without it. When people can no longer afford to travel they either stay at home or buy a flyover.

The railroads needed more revenue. The way to get more revenue, it was argued, was to raise the rates. So the rates were raised. Did the railroads get more revenue? They did not. Instead, much that they had taken from them and their last state was worse than their first.

In Southern California shippers turned to the Panama Canal and found that they could reach the eastern markets almost as soon and at a much less cost. Of course, so far as personal travel is concerned it is no hardship for Southern California to stay at home or to ride in his own State over his own roads.

It costs, under the present tariff, about \$6 for the doubtful privilege of occupying a Pullman ledge for a few hours on the overnight trek from Los Angeles to Phoenix and about \$1 for a berth to San Francisco when it is a well-known fact that no one is

## Can They Hitch Up the Team?



glad to pay much real money to get to San Francisco.

The handwriting is on the wall. A rate war is on the verge of breaking out. This would be disastrous and must be forestalled by a reduction in rail fares. Such a reduction will surely be made. The railroad statisticians are figuring it all out now; but some of the damage has already been done.

In the meantime the law of supply and demand goes marching on. It is the same today that it was when Rome was young, and it will be the same tomorrow when Time is old. The book is open. Why not take a lesson from its pages and save ourselves much needless worry?

## ITALY'S NEW DEPARTURE.

Italy seems to have escaped with a milder case of radicalism than any of the other European countries, except France and Belgium, whose war heroism apparently rendered them immune. The experiment of the Italian workmen in running the industries lasted but three weeks. Since they voluntarily turned them back to their owners industry has been forging ahead in Italy.

Now comes an Italian ambassador, Rolando-Ricci, who says that he is a business man, not a diplomat, who will maintain his chief offices in the business district of New York. Questioned about this new departure, the new Ambassador said:

I am not a diplomat. This is the first time I have ever held a diplomatic position. I am a business man, and I came to America to discuss commercial and financial affairs with business men. I know nothing and care nothing about the old-fashioned diplomacy that was killed by the war. I expect to spend most of my time.

I see that great affairs are conducted here today rather than at the capital. For some years at least the relations that European powers will have with American bankers and manufacturers and exporters will be of far greater importance than those with officials of the government. This resolution on the part of the Italian Ambassador to pay more attention to commerce and industry than to politics while in America signals a new departure in diplomacy. It is indeed the child of the great war. Signor Rolando-Ricci comes, not simply as the representative of the government of Italy, but representing the whole of the Italian people. He will concern himself less with American politicians than with American business men. He sees in New York the capital of American business life and he will leave to other diplomats the political maneuvering while he directs his efforts to establishing profitable commercial relations between Italy and the United States.

Perhaps this move on the part of the Italian Ambassador marks the opening of a new epoch of industrialism. Formerly, relations between peoples did not exist; international affairs were relegated to the regime of politics. If the world is passing from war to peace it will be by the route that Signor Rolando-Ricci has set out to follow. Business men arrange their alliances and compose their differences in a commercial rather than in a military spirit. Their demands are not backed up by threats of wholesale murder. Dollars, after all, are more humane in their warfare than men.

In separating the political from the business life of a nation, however, our own country is found at a disadvantage by reason of the comparative isolation of its capital from its great industrial centers. The capitals of all the great European countries are the great centers of commerce and industry. It is only a few blocks from the government offices to those of the boards of trade and finance. Washington is purely a political capital. Perhaps the framers of the Constitution and their immediate successors, in seeking to separate politics from business, made the gap too wide. If the industrial relations of people assume great importance, as they should, and politics, with its intrigues and wars, is relegated to the background, the isolation of the national capital may become embarrassing.

It is not impossible that other countries will find it more to their interest to send business men as ambassadors to foreign states than the breed of bureaucratic diplomats. Diplomacy and intrigue are inseparable. Governments have their armies and their navies, and there is always a tend-

ency to match them against each other. Diplomats regard that game as sublimated horse racing; but the peoples pay a terrible price for the sport. The era of universal peace may be approaching, not by reason of the governments and the politicians, but in spite of them.

## "SICK MAN" BETTER AGAIN.

No one who has a fair acquaintance with the history of Turkey ventures any more the assertion that it will be dismembered. Many years ago an eminent British statesman made the assertion that there was a "sick man" in Europe. His tone of voice conveyed the intimation that the patient would soon "pass out." But Turkey is still very much alive. It has suffered some amputation, to be sure, but is by no means on its last legs. Two years ago the Ottoman Empire seemed in graver danger of partition than it has been in the last half century or more; today the Turks are in such a strong position that they have been able to obtain a hearing in London for revision of the Treaty of Sevres and no longer does one hear threats of forcible division of the empire.

What's the secret of Turkish power? A well-informed writer in the American Review of Reviews put it down to the 10,000,000 to 12,000,000 Ottomans and Kurds in Asia Minor and in the plateau in East Turkey, as large and about as high as Colorado. He notes that these two races furnish the heart and the strength of Turkish power since Osman, the founder of the empire, drew his sword 630 years ago. They are the solid fighting men of all the tangled people between the Indus and the Danube. Other races there are in that region as brave, more civilized and even more meritorious, but the reviewer asserts that there is in it none so "united by faith given to arms." In the last seven centuries from Saladin to Mustafa Kemal Pasha, the leader has always appeared at the critical time.

## AIR TRANSPORT SUCCESS.

When it was predicted by The Times years ago that Los Angeles would inevitably become the aviation center of the United States, there were many to doubt and some who were amused at our temerity and what they deemed cockiness. Already there is abundant proof that this city is the leader in aeronautics as in motion pictures. But it is surprising to find that the people do not take more advantage of the many opportunities for air transport afforded here. We ought to have regular lines of air express running from Los Angeles daily to San Francisco and San Diego at least. If not to other cities. Of course, they can only be operated if there is certainty of paying loads of passengers, mails and freight. Enthusiasts in the flying business believe that this business will come within a reasonable time; but the fact remains that at present the time is trifling. What's the reason? It has been shown that air travel is rapid, comfortable and safe. It must be that the majority of people don't want to leave mother earth when they are traveling or maybe the rates are considered too high. Time will correct both these conditions. In the past air travel has been unpleasant for some people because of the noise. This is being overcome. The specially designed passenger airplanes that now ply between large cities in Europe have a sound-deadening partition between engine and saloon. It is said that even when the machines are rushing through the air at two miles a minute, the noise is no more than that of a light traveler by the tube railways are accustomed. In the "Greater Southern California Straight Ahead" program, airplanes are included.

## HOPE FOR NEW ENGLAND YET.

Does the New Englander live too much within himself? Is his self-control carried so far as to stunt enthusiasm and natural simotions? The answer is not to be lightly laid down by any casual critic. A repression and a sternness of life that can flower forth in the beautiful speeches of a Calvin Coolidge have not altogether ruined spontaneity and color and the play of emotion upon life.—(New York Tribune)

## The Open-Shop Policy.

The example of the helpful hen may well be studied by followers of the industries these days. Although the price of eggs has fallen 24 cents a dozen, in the last two weeks, she goes right on producing just the same.—Lawrence (Kan.) Journal-World.

## THE IRONY OF IT.

BY ALMA WHITAKER.

Of course, charity has no right to end at home, but it is a jolly good place whereto to begin.

In most of the recent relief appeals we have been exhorted not to harden our hearts just because the starving, wretched peoples who need our help were where we could not see their misery and sorrows. Quite right. So we pitched in and did our best for the Near East relief fund, the latest to be successfully achieved. And now there is an Armenian relief campaign being started—so perhaps Armenia is not in the Near East. And this week the Chinese famine fund is calling loudly for our kind consideration and no good American wants to see China go unaided.

But the next eloquent appeal due to tear our hearts is Ireland. I think Southern California's quota of the ten millions of so required of America is a trifling \$350,000 or so. This money is to relieve the victims of Sinn Féin guerrilla warfare—that Irish party which is eloquently melodramatic on the subject of "freedom" for its own political emancipation, but which strove by every means in its power to aid and abet the Germans in their conquest of the world, was, in fact, frankly willing to sacrifice the whole Allied cause on the altar of its own little grievances and now stands equally ready to sacrifice the other half of Ireland on the same dubious altar—always in the name of freedom. Freedom, how many crimes are committed in thy name?

This is the half of Ireland that is ever making a lissimilid bid for the sympathy—and generous donations—of the American public. The other half of Ireland, the half that contributed thousands of brave soldiers to the Allied cause and fought side by side with our own men, makes no appeal for American generosity. They are the real victims of the Sinn Féin revolution, with which they have no lot of sympathy—but the money we are asked to contribute in the coming campaign is not for them. Their idea of national pride and independence takes a different form.

But, all the same, that Irish relief fund is going to make a bumper success. But there is still another appeal that is even now being made upon public generosity—and it is highly doubtful whether this cause can ever have the successful glamour that attends anything "Irish." This appeal is merely for a few thousand human wrecks—young Americans who did play their part in the great and terrible war and have come back broken, hopeless men, pitiful examples of what a human being may suffer and how many limbs and organs he can lose and still live. They are flocking into Los Angeles at the rate of fifty or sixty a week, almost penniless, all jobs and most of them incapable of taking any sort of a man's job. They have no homes, no friends except each other, and their plight is utterly ghastly and pitiable—but, alas for them, they are not Irishmen and cannot count upon the glamour of that famous nationality to bring the ferocious and generous sympathy that is not even Armenians or Chinamen—but just young broken Americans who have given the country and the Allied cause all they had to give.

"But why doesn't the government take care of them?" asks the practical citizen who can be so practical when it isn't Ireland. Why, of course, the government ought to take care of them—and it is of course quite officially helpful as far as red tape and stern impartiality will allow. But the help the government gives is a mere drop in the ocean of their dire needs. And, anyway, we, the people, are the government, and if only we could be half as sentimental and melodramatic about them as we are about anything Irish, what a wealth of generosity and consolation we could lavish upon them.

And we can see these men, they are right under our noses, hobbling about our streets in their pitifully crippled plight, utterly discouraged. But they are only young Americans who were sent to the government, right here on the premises—of the foreigner has been such a much better right here on the premises—of the government's fault and their salvation ought to be up to the government. Yes, and Sinn Féin was Sinn Féin's fault and the relief of Sinn Féin was should be up to the Sinn Féin, but, however, prefer to create more victims with any money they can cull from anywhere. And the Sinn Féin will tell us it is Sinn Féin's fault, very well, then, the relief of the Irish victims is up to Great Britain—and, incidentally, Britain is not repudiating the responsibility, either.

But think of the irony of it—a mere five thousand or so broken-hearted and broken-bodied young Americans under the bitter necessity of pleading their heart-rending cause in overwhelming competition with the Chinese, the Armenians—and the Irish Sinn Féiners. And they know they will come last—that every Irish sympathizer can more surely be trusted to aid glamorous Irish victims in their vengeful hate against Britain long before their tears and sympathy can be involved for America's disabled war veterans, such young veterans and so pitifully, cruelly, bitterly disabled.

Well, I may be narrow-minded or even a bit prejudiced—but for the life of me I cannot see why our abject "charity" should not begin at home. It seems to me that these sad hopes of ours have done so infinitely more for us, for America, than any foreigner, no matter what the mushy glamour attached to his nationality.

## Paired.

Who said a household would be divided by politics? Here is the Republican wife of a Democrat official soldier giving birth to twins and the amicable naming of them Warren and Woodrow. This household is in a way to enjoy political piums which ever party may be in power.—(Kennebec Journal)

## Much in Little.

A baby will make love strodger, days shorter, night longer, bank roll smaller, home happier, clothes shabbier, the past forgotten and the future worth living for.—(Office Topics)

## PAX, VICTRIX.

Slow-treading victory, with forward eyes,  
 Drave them, on many a field, from her own land;  
 Smote down the war and made a path for thee,  
 With healing arms forth-stretching to the years.

How shall we fear thy face? Men  
 Of all the gates against thee in the world;  
 The never-ending treasuries of  
 The crimes of crowds that follow a dead word

When anarchy revels in the death of law;  
 Of bright lights, hard to hold and lightly lost;  
 Luminous faiths that darken into fear.

Till all the world is filled with groping hands  
 And voices uttered upward in the dark.

The dead are dead. The dead that strove for thee  
 Are with thee. Shall we fear to be with thee?  
 Death is of God, not so! We are too strong;

The weak are criminal, the strong are just.  
 And justice wins to thee by no long road,  
 Nor rugged under foot, nor dark, but all  
 Straightened with hedgerow blooms on either side

And silver-sounding rivulets that leap  
 To tranquil rivers, brimming in the sun.

The dead are dead. We are too strong to sin  
 Against the dead for sake of olden sins  
 They died to slay. Rather we turn to thee,  
 Rained armed and ordered, from victorious fields,

Imperious with immeasurable will.  
 That the slain sins be slain. And our own dead  
 Shall draw a little nearer with glad eyes.

When all the night is garrisoned with stars  
 And ship and shadow ship lie keel to keel;  
 They shall draw nearer on warm-breathing days.

With great, white clouds that walk the wind-blown lanes  
 Of heaven; for they and we shall be with thee.

The world shall grow a race of better men  
 That give and take all frankly; not with eyes  
 Sighing and justing for the thing withheld

And sought for deviously, but with cool hands.  
 Stagnant and strong, and strongest for a friend

Not without pain nor angels born, nor men  
 And these, the soldiers in a better way  
 Of light and darkness, in that better time

Pair-visions, looking up and down, shall see  
 Librarians on benignant wings. And all the hosts of darkness  
 Quelled by steel.

EDWIN COOLIDGE.

## RIPLING RHYMES.

MARCH.

In March the weather runs amuck and springs contortions, great and small—the poorest month I ever struck, and I've been up against them all. It is a month of sudden whims; one day the grass starts from the soil and then a blizzard comes and trims the whiplashers from a stone gargoyles. What he should wear no man can know, for he may shiver or perspire; there's sure to be three feet of snow if he puts on his spring attire. If he puts on his heavy furs, convinced they are the safest bet, a summer sephy round him whirs and he's reduced to grease and sweat. March seems to keep us all in view as we go doddering about, and then, no matter what we do, she shows us what we did was wrong. I've seen all kinds of months go by, I've seen their teeth and claws, and some were wet and some were dry and some were hot and others cold. And they were what we would expect, they were consistent in their ways, and so their conduct was correct and drew from me a song of praise. But March is summer, winter, fall and springtime badly mixed and blent; her lightning changes bore us out and fill our heads with discontent.

## AIN'T IT JUST SO?

WALT MASON.

Professor Dink Beeson says once he read what claimed to be a Fifty-first chapter of Genesis. That told how one blustery night an old man applied to Abraham's Tent for shelter and was made welcome until he got to curing. About something and Abraham wouldn't stand to have the name of His God taken lightly and drove the old fellow out into the storm and went back to watch the fire. A few minutes before going to bed and the voice of God came to him out of the darkness and said: "Ked where the old man was and Abraham recited the circumstances. And God said: 'Why, Abraham, if I have put up with that ignorant Old moron and his ways for eighty years surely you could stand him for a night, go bring him back.' And Abraham did, and the Prof guesses the yarn is pure fiction, but, at the same time, if God had as little patience with Humanity's faults as humanity has, the race would have vanished ages ago.

## THREE FALL.

As Others See Us.

"If America makes good," declares Mr. "Pussyfoot" Johnson, "and obviates the prohibition law, the world will follow." Meanwhile, America appears to be making bad—whisky!—(Passing Show, London).

## My Purview.

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## THREE PAIR.

See Us.  
as good," declares  
ohnson, "and ob-  
on law, the world  
while, America  
ing bad—whisky!  
London.

## PEN POINTS

BY THE STAFF.

Don't hear anything of  
Factory these days.  
What is the matter with  
movies having a dismal  
It strikes us that the  
the crossing cups could be  
signal success.

It begins to look like a  
spring for the "extra"  
movie camps, unless they  
work.

The Democrats are famous  
Boles. Purses again—the  
is able to get out of the  
chair.

Met a man the other day  
claimed that he made it  
rules of his life never to  
transfer.

President Harding may  
to enter the ark of the  
he will insist that the ark  
left ajar.

Why not stop the crime  
giving the first view of  
the motion pictures at  
San Quentin?

The Col. House of the  
administration has not yet  
to the office. But he will  
in plenty of time.

It is claimed that fairies  
exist, but that they have  
to be stopped. In what  
rus were they located?

A local band is to be  
in Los Angeles, says  
barred. Even the worm  
on the saxophone turns

It is possible that the  
holder improves the taste of  
rette 100 per cent, but he  
enough to induce us to

Business is humming at  
State capitals and the  
are turning out an im-  
of statutes. But they don't  
anywhere.

A New York university  
a school for the last-  
tallers. That is our  
ing coals to Newcastle  
they need it?

A slight check of  
noted in Indiana. We  
something would happen  
Hays stepped off the  
Hoosier State.

A loud roar is going up  
South on account of the  
of cotton. But they are  
everything. They are  
little of the income tax.

One thing has not  
of prices and manage-  
the high standard in  
more than a year. We  
high cost of enforcing  
prohibition amendment.

The low price of walrus  
son has stimulated buy-  
before, but a local dealer  
brought the other day  
dropped into his store and  
"Who waits on the nut?"

It seems to be the com-  
opinion that the exam-  
President Harding in his  
auguration has set a prece-  
will be followed by all  
dents. It has made a  
country.

The retirement of  
Condens as chairman of  
House has brought out  
he prayed for Congress  
twenty-five years. That  
of a job. But the fact  
blind helped.

The new year state  
fully well. He is  
with a posse of Federal  
ing one of his former  
tenants. Can such things  
us like a summer cloud  
special wonder?

What has become of  
ex-Secretary Lansing  
see the light of publi-  
after the retirement of  
Wilson? Was it a tale  
has the former Secretary  
been induced to withdraw  
lias?

With the coming of  
night it would be  
member of the City  
roduce an ordinance  
the seats in Pavilion  
be made of concrete and  
in the heartless glare of  
light.

Returns received by  
growers of Southern  
dicate that they don't  
hibition is never  
feared financial ruin  
made so much money  
as they did during the  
vent. Grapes bring  
ble what they did before  
of the national prohibi-  
ment.

It is likely that the  
pelling President Harding  
ble the entire test of  
States in the Pacific  
same to cause  
velt to send  
Evans around the world  
other nations  
way of fighting  
demonstration is not  
Besides it is not  
the Pacific as it is  
side.

My purpled hills  
A-thrilled with  
The hills of milder  
A-touched with  
ment.

In fear, darkness  
Never the heights  
I left in crowded  
side.

White Guy also  
With his "I loved  
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## SOCIETY.

BY VIRGINIA WOODS.

Miss Florence Hunnewell, whose  
marriage to Paul Schwab is to be  
social event of next week, will be  
honor guest the evening at a dan-  
cing party and buffet supper given  
by Mrs. M. A. English at her home  
on South Manhattan street. The  
house will be handsomely decorated  
with 'multicolored spring blooms,  
and an orchestra is to play for the  
dance. Twenty-five guests are ex-  
pected. Mrs. Hunnewell will be as-  
sisted by her son, Walter English,  
who has just returned from Mexico,  
and by Dr. Helen Anderson and  
Mrs. Fronie Hunnewell Sheldon,  
aunt of the bride-to-be.

For a Pretty Dud.  
Miss Susanna Bryant, daughter of  
Dr. and Mrs. Ernest A. Bryant, who  
has just returned from Miss Han-  
son's School at Menlo Park, is to  
be an attractive guest of honor at  
a tea Miss Lady Jane Lawler is to  
give tomorrow afternoon at the  
home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
Oscar Lawler.

She has invited fifty of her young  
school friends, including several  
other girls just home from Miss  
Ransome's school. Miss Deborah  
Hixby and Miss Sara Elizabeth Posey,  
are among these.

Miss Braly to Entertain.  
Miss Doris Braly is another of the  
younger girls planning to entertain  
next week at her home on South  
Gramercy place.

For Mrs. Stegmaler.  
Mrs. George Stegmaler of Wilkes-  
barre, Pa., who is visiting her  
daughter, Mrs. E. R. Moler, is to be  
honor guest today at a luncheon  
given by Mrs. Eugene O. McLaughlin.  
The guests will all go later to the  
Philharmonic concert.

For Mrs. Clarence Williams.  
Mrs. Clarence Williams, wife of  
Admiral Williams, will be enter-  
tained today by Mrs. R. D. Shep-  
herd at a luncheon and box party  
at the Philharmonic concert. Others  
in the group are Mrs. Albert Sher-  
man Hoyt, Mrs. Dean Mason, Mrs.  
John Murray Marshall, Mrs. Ches-  
ter Turner Hoag, Mrs. George J.  
Dennis, Mrs. Alexander R. Barrett,  
Mrs. Charles Henry Thompson and  
Mrs. George Leslie Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Stebbins Here.  
Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Stebbins of St.  
Paul, Minn., are at the Beverly Hills  
Hotel, having arrived Wednesday  
from Coronado Beach. Mr. and  
Mrs. Stebbins have been in Lower  
California since January 10. They  
expect to remain at Beverly Hills  
until the middle of April.

For Two Visitors.  
In honor of Mrs. Gene Stratton  
Porter, the writer, and Mrs. Lewis  
C. Nelson of St. Louis, Mrs. Louise  
Sloan-Orcutt is entertaining at  
luncheon today at the Hotel Amba-  
sador. Plates are set for twelve.

Joint Hostesses.  
Mrs. E. A. Wallis and Mrs. F. L.  
Gould are entertaining at luncheon  
today at their home at 226 South  
Union place in honor of Mrs. H. S.  
Abbott of Minneapolis and Miss  
Jeannette Johnson of New York.

New Summer Home.  
Mr. and Mrs. John S. Cravens of  
Pasadena are in Pebble Beach,  
where they have completed arrange-  
ments for the construction of a new  
home. They will spend much of  
their time there during the summer  
months.

From Santa Barbara.  
Mrs. Hugh Love and Mrs. Charles  
Sykes of Santa Barbara are at the  
Van Nuys Hotel and are sharing in  
many social courtesies.

To Give Dinner-Dance.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ervin S. Armstrong  
are to entertain at a dinner and  
dancing party at the Midwick Coun-  
try Club on Saturday evening.

Mrs. Bishop is Hostess.  
Mrs. Richard M. Bishop is to be  
hostess at a bridge luncheon today.

Bridge Dinner.  
Mr. and Mrs. William Metcalf  
Armstrong of Plymouth Boulevard  
are to be hosts at a bridge dinner  
tomorrow evening.

By Mrs. King.  
Mrs. Daisy Clark King of 528  
South Wilton place entertained at  
dinner in honor of Miss Alcyon  
Robinson, daughter of L. V. and  
Ring Robinson. Miss Robinson has  
just arrived from a tour of Italy.

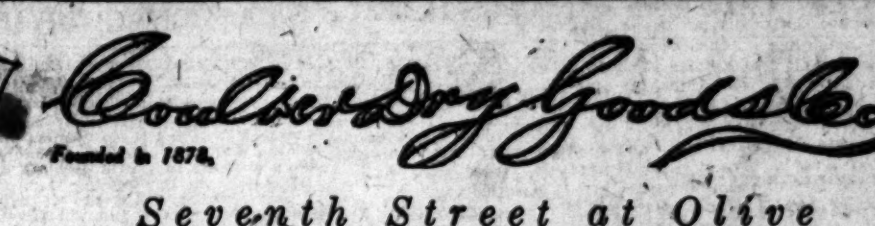
Betrothal Announced.  
Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Seward  
Webb of 6846 Sunset Boulevard an-  
nounce the betrothal of their daugh-  
ter, Dr. Ora Louise Webb, to Wal-  
ter Raymond Elevator. The wedding  
is to take place in early spring. Mr.  
Elevator is a senior medical student.

For Nebraska Visitors.  
As a courtesy to Mr. and Mrs.  
W. E. Hardy and Mrs. T. E. Calvert  
of Lincoln, Neb., Mr. and Mrs. Em-  
ory C. Brace entertained at lunch-  
on at the Hollywood Country Club.

Mrs. Macfarlane Returns.  
Mrs. Harriet Story Macfarlane,  
who has been the house guest of  
Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Becker for the  
past month, is returning to her  
home in Detroit on Sunday. She has  
been much feted by society and  
musical folk. On Wednesday she  
was one of the guests at Mrs. Carrie  
Jacobs Bond's musicale, where she  
sang. She also gave one recital here.

At Dinner Party.  
Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Smithers are  
to entertain members of the cam-  
paign committee of the California  
School of Christianity at a St. Pat-  
rick's dinner this evening. Plates  
will be set for Mr. and Mrs. Charles  
C. Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. F. J.  
Chapman, Rev. and Mrs. Lloyd Dar-  
sie, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Rogers, Rev.  
and Mrs. M. H. Fagan, Rev. and  
Mrs. Edgar Fay Daugherty and  
Chester Smithers.

WITH HIS COMPLIMENTS.  
A large consignment of seeds for  
residents of the city have been re-  
ceived from Congressman Cabot  
and will be given away as long as  
they last at the information desk in  
the Chamber of Commerce Building  
from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Seeds are  
prepared and selected by the De-  
partment of Agriculture at Wash-  
ington to answer the demands of  
garden growers over the United  
States.



Seventh Street at Olive

## Easter Apparel

MUST be chosen soon, if one would  
have the best attention paid to any  
necessary alterations, and to the acces-  
sories. At present our assortments are at  
their best; and we cannot too strongly  
emphasize the desirability of purchasing  
here:



Nothing Smarter or More  
Serviceable Than Wool Jersey or Tritotine  
in Street Frocks for Women. Both these fabrics are noted  
for their pliancy and adaptability to tailored models. New  
tunics and cut panels represent the latest vogue in skirts.

## The Quilted Wrap Coat Is Newest

Inspired by the luxurious Mandarin styles, the quilted satin coat  
goes quite simple; from collar to hem of gleaming satin outside, soft  
silk within and light body in between. It is the coat for Spring and  
Summer wear over one's daintiest frocks.

## The Sports Skirt

May be had in wool  
or typically sports  
silks; knife pleated  
models that are ex-  
ceptionally well tail-  
ored.



## The Sports Suit

is practically indispen-  
sable to the woman who  
lives in Southern Cali-  
fornia.  
Some unusually clever  
manifestations of this  
type of garment have  
just arrived.

A Pleasant Custom  
The Exchange of Gifts at Easter  
AND a doubly pleasurable one  
when the remembrance is a last-  
ing sort, such as

A Jet Chain, the keepsake of a lifetime;  
in rich real Whitby jet, graduated beads,  
36-inch length ..... \$40.00

Shorter strands in real Whitby jet  
at ..... \$18 and \$24

French Chains, beautiful novelties with  
tassel ends ..... \$1.50 to \$15.00

Italian Jet, chains of best quality, with  
graduated beads ..... \$7.50 to \$15

Long Coat Chains of Italian jet  
at ..... \$15 to \$20

Jet Bracelets, beautiful bracelets in two  
and three coils ..... \$2.50 and \$3.00

Pearl Shot Bracelets, large and small  
sized pearls to wind about the arm ..... 65c

In five strands with clasp at ..... \$1.00

(Main Floor)

A Comfortable Athletic Suit  
for Women

IS THE Eiffel Maid; constructed of fine nainsook, plain or checked; or of finely checked and striped  
voile, in pink and white; buttonless; comfortably; beautifully trimmed; worn under the corset;  
suitable for all seasons; elastic webbed band at waist; ribbon shoulder straps; all sizes, \$1.25 to \$3.75

## Union Suits

Jersey rib; band and bodice  
top; reinforced crotch; all sizes;  
tight knee ..... \$1.25

## Bloomers

Kayser jersey knit bloomers  
in pink and white; extra values  
at ..... \$1.00

(Main Floor)

## Vests

Swiss rib; band and bodice  
top; pink and white; now at  
only ..... 50c

Madam, Consider  
Your Corset

It demands critical attention upon your part, if  
your outer apparel is to look its best. An assort-  
ment

Consisting of La Camille, Redfern and similar popu-  
lar makes—a number of high-grade corsets in a variety  
of styles, for slender, medium and stout figures; both  
front and back lace; special at ..... \$5.95

Bandeaux and Brassieres—the bandeaux attractively  
made—one model of combined poplin and lace; another  
of pink figured material with diaphragm band, lightly  
boned; each hooks in the back; special ..... 69c

(Third Floor)

Juvenile Modes in  
Girls' and Boys' Hats.

Tailored hats for girls; fine Milans in black  
and white, brown and tan, all-black and all-  
brown; priced variously at ..... \$10.50 to \$13.75

Small girls' tailored hats at from  
\$5.95 to \$8.95

Certain lines of specially priced hats for girls  
and tiny girls are  
\$4.95 and \$3.95

Boys' fine Milans in black, white and  
brown ..... \$6.95 to \$9.75

(Third Floor)

Coulter's—Seventh Street at Olive

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Light Furs to Wear Over  
New Suits and Dresses

SERVE two good purposes—they add a certain tone and dis-  
tinction to one's costume and they protect the wearer  
against draughts and chill winds in motor car or upon the street.

One and Two Animal Scarfs and Chokers  
\$12.50, \$15.00, \$20.00, \$30.00, \$35.00

Have been attractively priced for Friday and Saturday—all of un-  
questionably good quality.

In squirrel, Hudson seal, fish, opossum, Japanese marten, stone mar-  
ten, Kolinsky and skunk.  
Fox furs in taupe, brown, black, pointed, cross and red, specially  
priced at \$35.00, \$45.00 to \$80.00.

(Third Floor)

## Notably Lovely Lingerie

IN white satin, is quite elegant enough for any Easter bride's trousseau,  
and quite practical enough to be worn by women for all purposes.

## Gowns

Square neck, tucked Geor-  
gette yoke and French Valen-  
ciennes trimming at ..... \$9.50

V-neck styles on special sale  
at ..... \$11.65

Others of better quality have  
been reduced for a pre-Easter  
special to ..... \$13 and \$13.85

Wonderfully handsome gown  
trimmed with three-inch inser-  
tion and edge of real Cluay,  
with two-toned blue and orchid  
ribbon for finishing, special  
now ..... \$23.60

(Third Floor)

## Gowns

Tailored gowns with tucked Geor-  
gette bands and filet insertion, with  
tiny bows of two-toned ribbon priced  
now at ..... \$16.50

Elaborately made gowns have  
yoke and sleeves of French Valen-  
ciennes lace and Oriental medallions,  
now ..... \$18.75

V-neck Empire models have yoke  
of puffed Georgette and fine Valen-  
ciennes lace; ribbon trimmings with  
rosebuds, now ..... \$22.00

Petticoats, Englelois, Chemise,  
Camisoles, Boudoir Caps and Slip-  
pers shown to harmonize with our  
lingerie.

(Third Floor)

Very Recent Arrivals  
Two-Tone Swagger Bags

ORIGINAL in design and concep-  
tion, the last word in bags.

Yet, quaint and new as they are,  
prices are modest.

We invite your early inspection  
of these bags.

(Main Floor)

Houbigant's Eau de Toilette  
in 4-oz. Bottles

OWING to better manufacturing condi-  
tions in France, we are enabled to offer  
this convenient 4-ounce size of favorite Toi-  
let Water to our customers now.

Le Parfum Ideal, bottle ..... \$3.50  
Quelques Fleurs ..... \$4.25  
Mon Boudoir ..... \$4.25

(Main Floor)



New  
Blazer  
Flannels

A WONDERFULLY at-  
tractive new fabric  
for sports and outing wear  
—stripes of many colors  
and plain staple and sports  
shades to match.

Shown in our Dress Cot-  
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The plain colors











## What will you take

for your old car?  
Not enough. Mark it up \$100.  
A dress of Murphy Da-cote Enamel will make it look like new.  
It's easy to apply—costs little—you can paint the car this afternoon and run it out new tomorrow.

## Murphy Da-cote Motor Car Enamels

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\$99.25  
\$700.25

Price \$1.85 per Qt.—Black.

One quart will paint a FORD, one coat.

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## SCANDAL CASES IN A COLLAPSE.

Indicted Ball Players' Trials Have Been Dropped.

State to Have Grand Jury Bring in Another Bill.

Attorney Says Testimony Against Men Stolen.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)  
CHICAGO, March 17.—Immediate prosecution of Chicago White Sox baseball players and others indicted for alleged "throwing" of the 1919 world series collapsed today when the state, charging corruption of its chief witness, dropped the cases against seven of the players and Judge Dever took the others off the court call.

Tonight, however, the state began preparing a new case and announced that it would ask the grand jury tomorrow to indict the players whose cases were dropped today.

DISMISS THEM.

State's Attorney R. E. Crowe took charge of the case today. He disclosed the cases dismissed, after his plea for six months in which to gather new evidence had been denied and May 2 had been set as the date for the trial.

Tonight, in a statement, Mr. Crowe placed the blame for the collapse of the case on his predecessors in office charging they had handled it improperly; on an alleged conspiracy which he said had defeated justice and corrupted Joe Jackson, Eddie Cicotte, Buck Weaver, Dean Falesch, Swede Risberg and Fred McMullin from custody, their cases being dismissed. The cases against Chick Gandil, Hal Chase, Joseph J. Sullivan, Rachel Brown, Abe Atlas and William Burros, the latter five charged with engineering the alleged world series deal, were taken off the call, but may be brought up again.

CANNOT RETURN.

The cases dismissed were those of the men who had surrendered and given bail. There was little prospect of the men returning to baseball, however, all being both unconditionally released and on the ineligible list.

Mr. Crowe told Judge Dever that grand jury testimony had been stolen and that a conspiracy had hampered the state. He demanded six months to gather new evidence.

When Judge Dever replied sixty days was the limit, Mr. Crowe shouted: "Well, the game is called then. I'll ask no more."

TO DROP CASES.

Judge George Barrett, American League attorney, persuaded him to drop the cases only against the men who had given bail and this was done. Judge Dever ruled that Mr. Crowe's statement had been only a threat and did not constitute formal announcement of a nolle prosequi, which was made later.

The men indicted were still under a ban of silence tonight, their attorneys forbidding them to talk until the statute of limitations expired.

ANOTHER LONG SHOT

BREAKS TAPE FIRST.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

LIVERPOOL (Eng.) March 17.—The government cup of 1000 sovereigns, at one mile and three furlongs, run here today, was won by H. R. Steel's Spirit of Orange. H. P. Heybourne's Trepassey was second and Money Glass, third. The winner was quoted at 100 to 7 in the betting. Trepassey at 5 to 1 and Money Glass at 7 to 1. Fifteen horses ran.

## GOTHAM BILL IS HARD ON BRIBERS.

ALBANY (N. Y.) March 17.—Offering of accepting a bribe to lose a professional baseball game is a felony in this State, Gov. Miller today signing the bill passed by the State Legislature.

TIGERS BRUISE THE CUBLETS.

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nings for Esch and did fairly well, after which Shellenback stole the cards.

The fielding feature of the day was Goeman's snailing of Barber's hit, close to the second sack in the first of the fifth. Charley was playing deep short at the time but he dashed forward, threw himself almost to the ground, scooped the ball with his left hand, swung around and pegged the ball to Lockyer in time to nab him. The nifty play drew a shower of applause. Lockyer showed excellently at the bat and in the field and looks to be one of the best finds hereabouts in some time.

THE SCORE:

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HEARST GIVEN  
ANOTHER SLAP.Councilmen Refuse to Act on  
"Examiner" Ordinances.Whitehead Calls Vote Plan  
Meaningless "Straw Vote."City Can't Collect Rent from  
Bullock's as Owners.

The City Council is scheduled to meet May 2, 1935, to consider the plan of placing before the voters at the May 3 primaries of the entire matter of permitting Bullock's to occupy the space over St. Vincent's Place with a structure connecting the Broadway and Hill-street parts of the store.

The Public Welfare Committee acted yesterday afternoon, following a conference with Attorney S. F. MacFarlane, representing Bullock's, to refer back to the City Council with-out recommendation the Los Angeles Examiner's two proposed referendum ordinances revoking the permit for the structure built and occupied since 1917 and the order passed in 1919 authorizing the construction of the present building now partly completed. The committee also agreed to recommend to the Council that the matter of the acceptance by the city of Bullock's offer of paying an annual sum of \$1370 for thirty-four years for the privilege of using the space over St. Vincent's Place be placed on the ballot at the May 3 primaries.

Assistant City Attorney Whitehead, who was present at yesterday afternoon's conference, pointed out that if the proposition is placed before the voters it will be in the nature of a "straw vote" to learn the views of the citizens and will be without binding or legal effect, as the courts have ruled that cities have not the right to charge rental for the use of space over alleys, that space being the property of the abutting property owners.

The greater part of the time of the conference yesterday afternoon was taken up with a discussion of the amount of compensation Bullock's desires to pay the city. On this point, Attorney MacFarlane said:

## ONLY ONE FIGURE.

"The City Council on its own motion asked the Los Angeles Realty Board to make an appraisal of the rental value of the space over St. Vincent's Place, and the board's appraisal agreed on \$1370 a year. Bullock's alone agreed to pay that amount. No other figure has been named by a disinterested body. We have \$137,000 at stake in the structure we are building at St. Vincent's Place. We do not feel that we should be asked to come to the Council and make one bid after another until we reach a figure that satisfies everyone. This would require the question into simple one of how much are we going to be let up for?"

Councilman Wheeler presented figures from an unnamed source naming a proposed rental valuation of the space at \$17,767 a year, and Mr. MacFarlane promptly said that Bullock's considered this amount excessive.

Councilman Criswell, in making a motion to recommend placing the entire matter before the voters, said:

"The City Attorney tells us that the city cannot legally charge Bullock's one penny rental for the space over St. Vincent's Place. I believe that the people should decide the question of accepting Mr. Bullock's offer. If the Council agreed to accept it, Mr. Hearst would not hesitate to attack the Councilmen, if he desired, and to use his two Los Angeles newspapers to attempt to blot their reputations, regardless of truth or decency."

"Councilman Wheeler names a proposed annual donation figure for Bullock's to pay the city of \$17,767. Now, I have known Mr. Wheeler for twenty years and this is the first time he has posed as a real estate expert. Mr. Wheeler voted in 1917 to give permission for Bullock's to build a connecting structure over St. Vincent's Place and I believe that he voted right then, just as I believe that I and the other Councilmen, who voted in 1919 to give Bullock's permission to build a second structure over St. Vincent's Place, also voted right, for in neither case did those structures interfere with the city's easement or right of way in the alley."

"The Board of Public Works yesterday formally placed on its records its instructions and served notice on Bullock's not to resume work on the structure now under completion over St. Vincent's Place, the time limit of twelve months set for completion of the work in the 1919 ordinance having expired."

Should the voters agree to accept Bullock's donation offer, the City Council can then pass new ordinances establishing Bullock's rights in connecting structures at St. Vincent's Place. Should Bullock's desire to change or increase its proposed annual donation over the present recorded figure of \$1370 it can do so, the members of the Public Welfare Committee said, if the Council accepts the committee's recommendation, up to April 2, when the printing of the May 3 primary ballot begins.

The members of the Public Welfare Committee which considered the Bullock's matter yesterday afternoon are President Workman and Councilmen Criswell and Langdon.

Backs Car Over  
Son Who Seeks  
to Wave Good-by

Eager to wave a tiny hand in farewell to daddy, Nicholas Hiram Bierow, 14 months of age, yesterday crawled on hands and knees beneath the rear wheels of his father's automobile, and was instantly killed. M. P. Bierow, the child's father, was backing his automobile from the driveway at his home at 212 West Fifty-fourth street when the accident took place.

Gurrying with laughter the little boy, on hands and knees, crawled from the porch and dragged himself directly into the path of the automobile as it was backed from the driveway by Mrs. Bierow.

Acting Coroner Williams ordered the body removed to the undertaking establishment of Uter & Stuppé where an inquest will be held.

HUSBAND WOULDN'T WORK.

According to Mrs. Grace E. Uberti, her husband, Victor Jean Uberti, 32, artist, would not work. She gave him \$22,000, she said, and then they parted. Yesterday she sought a divorce in Judge Wood's court and was denied a decree.

This Store is  
Open All Day  
Saturday

## Hale's Economy Friday

## Wash Goods

At special Economy prices.  
—35c Indianhead, bleached.  
Special Friday price . . . . .25c

—60c Art Crash, tan color, heavy weight, 18 inches wide . . . . .45c

—Huck Toweling, bleached, 54-inch length, 20c values . . . . .15c

—White Outing Flannel, 36 inches wide, Worth 35c. Sale price, the yard . . . . .25c

—45c Ginghams, pretty plaids, 32 inches wide . . . . .35c

—60c Flannels, plain colors and figured patterns . . . . .45c

—75c White Pique, yard wide. Sale price, the yard . . . . .50c

—85c Dress Voiles, figured patterns, 38 inches wide. Special price . . . . .65c

—45c Shirting Percales, 36 inches wide. Sale price, the yard . . . . .35c

**\$2.25 Wool Batts**  
**\$1.90**  
72x84 inch size for comforters. Economy specials.  
(Hale's—Main Floor)

\$5.00 Canteen  
Purses \$3.95

Canteen purses of real leather, smart style with fittings including large mirror. Brown, black and gray. \$5.00 values for \$3.95 Friday.

—\$5.00 Silk Bags, several styles, black only. Friday Economy . . . . .\$2.95

—\$5.00 Swag Bag, of real leather. Brown, black and blue. Various styles. Special . . . . .\$3.95

—\$6.50 Canteen Purses, patent leather or Morocco. Large mirror and other fittings. Economy specials . . . . .\$5.00

—Pearl Beads, 24 inch necklaces of filled beads with clasp. \$3.00 values. Special . . . . .\$1.95

**\$4.00 Grained Ivory Hand Mirrors \$3.00**  
Round mirrors. Specially priced for Economy Friday.  
(Hale's—Main Floor)

## For the Little Tots

—Children's Petticoats, made of good quality Flannelette with muslin waist. 2 to 6 yr. sizes. 75c values for . . . . .39c

—Children's Dresses, mostly sample dresses very specially priced. White and colors. 2 to 6 yr. sizes. \$6 and \$7 dresses for \$3.95

\$5.00 dresses for . . . . .\$2.95

\$4.00 Dresses for . . . . .\$1.95

—Creepers, Rompers and Dresses in white and colors. 6 mo. to 4 yr. sizes. \$2.00 and \$2.50 values \$1.50  
(Hale's—Third Floor)

Gloves at Economy  
Prices

—\$3.00 Chamoisette Gloves, elbow length. White, cafe, natural color and gray. Special economies for Friday \$2.00

—\$2.25 Lambkin Gloves, white and oyster gray. Two clasp style with pique seams. Special Friday price . . . . .\$1.85

—\$1.50 Chamoisette Gloves, white, gray, sand and mode. Two clasp gloves. Specials for Friday . . . . .\$1.25

—\$1.50 Silk Gloves, heavy quality with double finger tips. White and assorted colors. Slight imperfections . . . . .\$1.00  
(Hale's—Main Floor)

Standard New Idea  
Designer Patterns  
sold here

(Hale's—Fourth Floor)

Household  
Economies

	Special Economy	Worth	Price
Sheets, bleached and seamed. 63x90 inch size . . . . .	1.60	1.40	
Sheets, bleached and seamed. 81x90 inch size . . . . .	1.75	1.50	
Sheets, bleached and seamed. 72x90 inch size . . . . .	1.55	1.35	
Muslin, unbleached, 36 inches wide. Specially priced . . . . .	.25	.18	
Turkish Towels, bleached, heavy weight. Economies . . . . .	.45	.35	
Huck Towels, with red border. Specially priced . . . . .	.25	.20	
Table Damask, mercerized finish. Good quality . . . . .	1.20	.90	
Pillow Cases, bleached, 42x36-inch size. Special . . . . .	.60	.45	

(Hale's—Main Floor)

Ruffled  
Organdie Flouncings  
For Easter Dresses

Specially Priced, \$2.25 Yard. Dainty ruffled flouncings of organdie for Easter dresses. 36 inches wide. White and colors. \$2.75 is generally asked. Hale's special price, yard . . . . .\$2.25

**\$2.00 Embroidery Flouncings, \$1.50**  
Embroidered organdie and voile flouncings for Easter, 36 inches wide. White and colored patterns, regularly \$2.00. Specially priced for Friday, a yard \$1.50

—75c Embroideries, Swiss and organdie flouncings, 27 inches wide. Blind and openwork patterns. Sale price, the yard . . . . .50c

—75c Lace Flouncings, net top and shadow lace flouncings and bands in white and cream color. Sale price, the yard . . . . .50c

—35c Lace Flouncings, shadow and Platt Val lace flouncings for underwear. Specially priced, the yard . . . . .25c

—20c Laces, filet, imitation crochet and cluny laces and bands 4 inches wide. White and cream color. Special price, the yard . . . . .10c

—10c Laces, tulle, filet and cluny lace edges and insertions in white and ecru. Special Friday price, the yard . . . . .5c  
(Hale's—Main Floor)

Kayser  
Silk Underwear

ranks first in popularity with particular women.

Kayser Silk Vests, flesh color, one-star quality. Regulation or bodice tops. Sizes 36 to 42. Hale's price . . . . .\$3.25

Kayser Silk Bloomers, one-star quality, well reinforced. Elastic at waist and knee. Sizes 36 to 42. . . . .\$4.75

Kayser Silk Vests, three-star quality. Flesh color. Bodice style. Embroidered in neat designs . . . . .\$5.25

## Women's Vests 75c

Swiss ribbed lisle thread vests in pink or white. Sleeveless, low neck, band finish. Sizes 4, 5 and 6. Special Economy price . . . . .75c  
(Hale's—Third Floor)

White Wash  
Satin Petticoats  
\$5.75

Tailored petticoats of white wash satin, with double panel front and back. Hemstitched hem. Hale specials at \$5.75.  
—White Wash Satin Petticoats, embroidered. Scalloped bottom. Elastic waist. Hale specials . . . . .\$6.50  
—Extra Size Petticoats, tailored models of white wash satin. Double panel front and back. Hemstitched hem. Hale specials . . . . .\$7.00

Barman Housedresses  
New Styles  
\$3.50 to \$5.00

Barman housedresses with adjustable waist and hem, reinforced under arm. Attractive new styles made of gingham. Patches for mending go with each dress. Sizes as large as 56 bust measure.  
(Hale's—Third Floor)

Sale of  
Trimmed  
Hats  
\$5

Today will be devoted to this big \$5.00 sale of hats. Hundreds of beautiful trimmed hats worth a great deal more will be the leading attraction.

## CHILDREN'S HATS FOR \$5.00

Children's hats that are worth \$6.95. Milans and Milan hems in black, brown, navy blue and black-and-white. Specials at \$5.00.

Untrimmed  
Hat  
Shapes  
\$5.00  
Special  
values for  
Friday

TAILORED HATS,  
ROLLING BRIM  
AND POKE SHAPES,  
WITH DRAPE OF  
GEORGETTE CREPE

\$5.00

Hundreds of  
New Wrappy Coats  
Have Arrived at  
Hale's

The styles are so varied that it would be impossible to attempt to describe them. But the values are so extraordinary that they deserve special comment. The buying organization of the combined Hale California Stores gains many price advantages that are turned to the profit of patrons of the Hale Stores. The new wrappy coats are being sold at prices that mean a saving of several dollars for every purchaser. Commencing at \$25.00, they range on up, \$29.50, \$35.00 and so on.

Girls'  
Taffeta  
Dresses  
Specially Priced  
\$12.50

Girls' dresses in a variety of pretty new styles—made of taffetas, navy blue, brown, Copenhagen or green. 8 to 16 year sizes. You'll be delighted as others have been to find dresses so superior in every way for so moderate a price.

Regulation Middies  
At Hale's, \$2.25

White middies with detachable blue serge collars. 10, 12 and 14-year sizes. Hale's price, \$2.25.  
(Hale's—Third Floor)

JERSEY  
DRESSES  
\$12.50 Values  
\$8.50

The charming misses' dress shown above is made of Jersey, brown and blue combined. 10, 12 and 14-year sizes. A bargain at \$8.50.

## \$1.50 Imported Pongee

Heavy pure silk pongee in the natural color. 33 inches wide. A grade worth \$1.50. Economy price for Friday, 98c.

—Canton Crepe, a new style of popular color. 36 inches wide. Sale price, the yard . . . . .\$1.50

—Satin Linings, a new style of popular color. 36 inches wide. Economy price for Friday . . . . .\$1.00

—Navy Blue Linings, a new style of popular color. 36 inches wide. Worth \$2.95. Sale price, the yard . . . . .\$2.00

—Silk Shirtings, a new style of popular color. 36 inches wide. Jersey, silk, brown and blue. Jerz, fleur de lys and de chine. Yard . . . . .\$1.50

—Black Satin Linings, a new style of popular color. 36 inches wide. Sale price, the yard . . . . .\$1.00

(Hale's—Main Floor)

Remnants of  
and Dress Goods

Specially Priced  
Economy Friday

Remnants of silk and goods—good lengths will be sold at prices far below worth.

Philippine Embroidered  
Underwear

\$4.00 and \$5.00 Garments, \$2.50 Specials for Friday.

Philippine hand embroidered nightgowns and open chemises for women. Several designs. 36 to 44. \$4.00 and \$5.00 regularly. Extra values at . . . . .\$2.50

**\$2.50 Camisoles for \$1.95**

Good quality wash satin camisoles in brown, blue, black and red. \$2.50 values for . . . . .\$1.95

**Women's \$1.25 Bloomers, \$1.00**

Batiste and Windsor crepe bloomers, pink, white and figured patterns. Some have ruffled hems. \$1.25 values for . . . . .\$1.00  
(Hale's—Third Floor)

\$5.00 Silk  
Waists, \$3.50

Tailored and semi-tailored of all silk, the styles are dressy and elegant. \$5.00 values, \$3.50 for . . . . .\$3.50

—Uniform Waists, a new style of popular color. 36 inches wide. Various styles. \$5.00 values. \$3.50 for . . . . .\$3.50

—Regulation Middies, a new style of popular color. 36 inches wide. \$5.00 values. \$3.50 for . . . . .\$3.50  
(Hale's—Third Floor)

Buy Rugs  
Easy Payment

\$62.50 Seaming  
minster Rugs, 12  
size. Special . . . . .

\$80.00 Seaming  
minster Rugs, 12  
size. Special . . . . .

\$12.50 Mattresses  
Special \$7.50

40-lb. cotton mattress with roll edge. Worth \$12.50. Hale specials, \$7.50.

## Blankets

—\$12.50 Blankets, plaid blanket, 12x12. The pair . . . . .

—\$10.50 Blankets, Beacon blanket, 12x12. The pair . . . . .

**\$7.50 White Bedsprings**

CONFER ON  
ROAD PROBLEM

Will Bring Club  
and Board Together.

Associations' Delegate  
Met with Stephens.

Presented for Settling  
Highway Controversy.

Settlement of road controversy in California is looked for in a conference to be held at Sacramento by the Governor and the two automobile associations by officials of the Club of Southern California.

Reference is to include representatives of the State Highway Commission and the two automobile associations in the State, and will be for the purpose of preparing a compromise and proper road program for California.

A two-hour conference between the Club of Southern California and the California State Automobile Association yesterday afternoon, the Governor went on the subject.

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## START FIRE TO GET FREE; DIE.

Detention Ward Patients at Hospital Are Victims.

Rapid Spread of Flames is Frustration of Plot.

Coroner's Jury at Border City Blames Dead Men.

EL CENTRO, March 17.—Fire which they started early today in an attempt to burn their way out of the detention ward of the County Hospital, destroyed the small frame building and caused the death of Guillermo Martinez, 22, and Guadalupe Gomez, 26, who were being treated at the hospital while being held to answer for petty crimes.

The detention ward of the County Farm was a small building of redwood, inside a wire stockade, and because of the highly inflammable nature of the building the fire spread so rapidly that the men were smothered inside the building before a hole was burned, through which they could escape.

Night Watchman Reilly testified at the Coroner's inquest this morning that he heard the men trying to break out of the building about 10 o'clock last night, and three hours later discovered the fire, which was then burning so fiercely that he could not get near enough to it to release the frantic men.

Several other witnesses were examined during the course of the Coroner's investigation, after which the jury returned a verdict to the effect that the death of the men was caused by a fire started by themselves.

Medal Contest.—Six girls from Forsyth Home will hold a Loyol Temperance Legion medal contest at 331 North Broadway at 2:30 p.m. today.

## "MEAL TICKET" GIVEN DECREE.

Spent Eighteen Thousand on Family in Two Years, Wife Tells Court.

When Mrs. Caroline Ferguson refused to act longer as his meal ticket, David Ferguson left her, she told Judge Walton J. Wood in divorce proceedings yesterday. She was granted a decree.

She said she spent about \$18,000 on the family in two years. She paid the bills for her husband and his family and bought his clothes, she said. He did not work; never gave her a penny nor bought a loaf of bread, the wife declared.

On the day of the separation he asked for \$500, and I knew if I gave him any more he would just give it to his folks," she declared.

## FREE BALLOON RIDE.

Aerial Kidnaping Story Ridiculed by School Officers.

After elastic imaginations had succeeded in creating a balloon kidnaping here at dawn yesterday, officers of the Arvadia Balloon School ridiculed the report. They explained that five officers participated in a free balloon flight at 3 a.m. and that they drifted over this city.

Early risers in the vicinity of Vermont avenue and Wilshire boulevard called the police at daybreak and declared that a woman was crying for help from a balloon which was drifting over Hollywood at a height of 100 feet.

Police detectives started in pursuit of the balloon "kidnapers," but were given the slip.

## Spectacular Blaze in Warehouse District Baffles Firemen.



Fighting \$150,000 Conflagration at Seventh Street and Santa Fe Tracks.

## LARGE LOSS IN NIGHT FIRE.

Wood and Coal Establishment Razed by Flames; Investigation to be Made.

A spectacular fire completely destroyed the warehouse of the Pacific Wood and Coal Company, Seventh street and the Santa Fe Railroad, early last evening, and threatened to spread to other large warehouses and storage plants. Damage to the building and contents was estimated at \$150,000.

As darkness hampered the work of the arson squad of the police department, a thorough investigation will be conducted this morning to determine if the blaze was of incendiary origin.

It was discovered about 7 p.m. when a mighty shaft of flame shot heavenward from the roof. Though an engine company was stationed Seventh street and Santa Fe avenue, the fire gained such rapid headway that the efforts of that company to check it were of no avail and a general alarm was flashed to East Side and central fire stations.

The warehouse had a frontage of 150 feet on Seventh street, and extended a block southward along the Santa Fe tracks. Twenty feet to the east stands the huge commissary warehouse of the Santa Fe system. This was damaged to the extent of about \$2000. Across Seventh street is the plant of the Los Angeles Ice and Cold Storage Company. As all efforts of the fire apparatus to check the warehouse blaze were futile, the various fire companies centered their activities in saving the Santa Fe warehouse and the cold storage plant.

Stored within the destroyed building were many carloads of coal, coke, wood, hay, grain, poultry supplies and stove distillate. These huge stores were completely consumed. Six automobiles, property of the Pacific Wood and Coal Company, were also destroyed.

While combating the blaze on the south side of the warehouse a crew

of five firemen narrowly escaped serious injuries when one of the burning walls collapsed and buried them beneath the embers. They quickly extricated themselves uninjured from the mass of debris and continued with their work.

The warehouse was owned by the Pacific Wood and Coal Company of San Diego and Los Angeles, one of the largest firms of its kind in Southern California. W. E. Clark is the local manager. He stated that the loss will probably reach \$150,000. The building was valued at \$20,000 and its contents were worth approximately \$120,000. Only a small amount of insurance was carried on the warehouse and the products it housed.

## ENCOUNTER DELAY IN OIL INJUNCTION CASE.

TEXAS ASSOCIATION ASSERTED TO BE OUTSIDE PALE OF LAW INVOKED.

Another turn was taken Wednesday in U. S. District Judge Trippett's court, in the case brought by the International Association of Oil Field, Gas Well and Refinery Workers of America, John Sheehan and H. A. Hope, to prevent R. H. Stickley, J. L. Coulter, Harry Baker, Robert Frazier, Walter J. Yarrow and the International Association of Oil Field, Gas Well and Refinery Workers from using the name of the association, and to make an accounting of funds collected.

It was understood that the motion of the defendants to dismiss would be argued, and the question of the jurisdiction of the court be threshed out, but Stephen Monteleone, representing the plaintiffs, was not ready.

Mr. Monteleone stated it had been stipulated that the case would be argued within the rule, but the issues of the diversity of citizenship and the jurisdiction of the court must exist to give the court jurisdiction, are yet to be fought out.

It is asserted by the defendants that the organization is a voluntary, unincorporated, private association of individuals, not a body politic, nor is it recognized as persons, that it cannot acquire or hold property and cannot be sued. The contention arises out of the row at the annual election of officers at Fort Worth, Tex., last June, when the defendants, Stickley and Coulter, were declared chosen president and secretary, respectively, of the organization. The defeated candidates, Sheehan and Hope, refused to recognize the validity of the election of the Bakerville men.

## DRIVER AFTER BOARD.

Public Utilities Body Must Explain Refusal of License.

The members of the City Board of Public Utilities were yesterday served with a writ of mandamus issued by Superior Court Judge Shenk ordering them to show cause for their refusal to issue to F. W. Redhouse a license to drive a sightseeing automobile. The hearing in the case is set before Judge Burnell for March 28.

It was stated at the office of the board at the City Hall yesterday afternoon that Redhouse had been denied a license or permit to drive a public automobile after hearings had been held and testimony given by police officers showing that he had driven a public automobile without having applied for a license. The members of the board, of which Robert E. Wirsching is president, will go into the court and defend their action.

## CONFESSES TIRE THEFT.

D. J. Holt, arrested Monday charged with stealing automobile tires, confessed yesterday, the police say, to the theft of a tire from an automobile that was standing in front of the Little Theater. Investigation showed that Holt, who is playing in "Penrod" at the Little Theater, had lost a tire from his car recently and yesterday identified one of the tires seized at the time of Holt's arrest. Holt will be given a hearing Saturday.

## "Film Lessons" Will be Ready for Fall Term.

Leading California educators, having determined to be the first to take the step of including educational films in the regular school program, are holding meetings this week in Los Angeles, San Diego and Santa Barbara with F. S. Wythe, head of the California producing organization which made "Film Lessons," the first educational films adapted exclusively to classroom instruction. Mr. Wythe arrived here yesterday and is at the Hotel Clark.

These educational films which will be installed by the beginning of the next school year, in all the leading schools of the State, will furnish practical instruction and standardize the course in civics. The course is in thirty reels, prepared and edited by prominent national educators, and deals with citizenship building and all kindred subjects which heretofore have not been regularly a part of the established school program.

Lectures on "Film Lessons" will begin the work this week of adapting the films to text-books and methods of instruction used in California schools. The films, which have been two years in the making, are a California product, although many of the editors are national figures in the educational world. The staff includes John Collins, New York author; Prof. Thomas H. Reed of the University of California; Justice Wilbur; Frederick Litchfield of the Bureau of Naturalization; C. A. Stephens of the United States Bureau of Education; and Arthur H. Chamberlain, educational director American Society for Thrift.

## San Diego Will Benefit by New Traffic Scheme.

San Diego, March 17.—Announcement was made today by General Manager Pontius of the San Diego and Arizona Railway that passenger traffic arrangements had been made with the Santa Fe and Southern Pacific lines, W. J. Black and C. E. Fee, passenger traffic managers of the Santa Fe and Southern Pacific, respectively, acting for those transcontinental systems.

California visitors, when the new arrangement goes into effect, probably on May 1, may come from the East by the way of El Paso on the Southern Pacific and to San Diego on the San Diego and Arizona, and thence to Los Angeles and return on the Santa Fe, or return eastward on the Salt Lake. A number of routes going or coming are provided for in the agreement for round-trip travel, all of which will be of advantage to travelers wishing to visit San Diego.

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## FIND SKELETON IN GRAVEL PIT.

Bones Believed Those of Gold Rush Victim are Unearthed.

FRESNO, March 17.—Excavation work at the China gravel pit east of Riverbank was brought to a sensational close yesterday afternoon with the discovery of a well-preserved skeleton, thought to have been buried there more than fifty years ago.

Moore and Peters, Riverbank contractors, unearthed the gruesome relic, which apparently had been buried hurriedly without a coffin, some three feet below the earth's surface. The bones were remarkably preserved.

Old timers here express the belief that the skeleton is that of a miner buried here some fifty years ago during the gold rush to Sonora, when the Riverbank section was overrun with fortune hunters.

## VETERANS PLAN RALLY.

Returned and Disabled Soldiers Will Hear Speakers This Evening.

A rally of returned and disabled soldiers of the World War will be held in room 8 of the McKinley Evening High School at McKinley and Vermont avenues this evening under the direction of the Disabled Veterans of the World War.

What the disabled veteran thinks, what he feels and how he lives, will be spoken of by men from the ranks. Two of these speakers will be Leroy Dawson, a war cripple, and Charles Farwell Edson. Mrs. Frederick A. Dow of Chicago will also speak.

On the 23rd inst. J. H. McDermott will speak on "The Remedy for International Wars and Internal Economic Strife." At the meeting on the 21st inst., Charles H. V. Lewis, president of the Federated Improvement Association of Los Angeles, will speak on "Government Ownership of Railroads, Telegraph and All Other Public Utilities."

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You can make a delicious beverage from California Poppy Skim Milk by using a little more of the powder than usually. It makes a consistency of cream. It can be used on cereals as a liquid. It makes wonderful chocolate. To obtain one with the taste of a warm place for a few hours. Evaporated milk can be made by the use of Vermont Tablets (sold in every drug store) these may also be made from it.

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## HARBOR FIGHTS PHONE MERGER.

Gets Cheaper Home Service with Tolls to City.

Glendale, too, Opposes Plan to Join Main System.

Expected Rate Increase is Cause for Timidity.

Because of the expected telephone toll increase in the city of Los Angeles, it is expected that the Glendale telephone rate case before Commissioners Brundage and Rowell, yesterday that outlying districts are by no means united in a desire to be connected to the Los Angeles telephone system.

It was shown that individual unlimited residence telephone lines in Glendale now cost the subscriber \$2.25 a month, and that under the new proposed Los Angeles rates, residence phones are expected to cost approximately \$4.25 a month, while the telephone company insisted that an additional charge upon a mileage basis would be made for telephone lines extending beyond the seven-mile primary rate area now being set up.

RESOLUTIONS FILED. A similar difference of opinion also developed when the chambers of commerce of Wilmington and San Pedro filed resolutions to the effect that the majority of the people in the harbor district would have cheaper telephone service through present local rates with long-distance toll charges, than they would by direct connection with the Los Angeles system under the Los Angeles rates plus mileage.

Before Commissioners Brundage and Rowell took the case under advisement, Rate Engineer Winton of the Southern California Telephone Company put into the testimony the fact that only 9 per cent of the calls originating in Glendale were for business into Los Angeles, and that if Los Angeles rates and Los Angeles service were given to Glendale, 90 per cent of Glendale telephone traffic would be penalized for the benefit of the 9 per cent desiring Los Angeles connection.

COST POINTED OUT. Winton also pointed out that the growth of Glendale is such that it would require \$274,000 to install the necessary equipment to furnish free service between Glendale and Los Angeles, which costs would naturally have to be carried by the telephone users in rates.

Under the testimony introduced by City Attorney Shaw of Glendale, it was set forth that the city of Glendale enjoyed a direct connection with the Los Angeles telephone exchange, and that the city had been in the order of Postmaster-General Clegg, at the time that the city of Glendale was incorporated, to have a direct connection with the Los Angeles telephone exchange.

After a search in the hills near Glendale yesterday by deputy sheriffs to find William H. Teasley, Jr., said to have attempted to shoot his father, William H. Teasley, of 1001 Melrose avenue, Glendale, it was reported that the youth had not been found. Deputies Modie, Sweeney, Bright and Blandel were assigned to the case and hurried to the Teasley home shortly after the asserted attack.

It was stated to the officers that the father had gone to the home of his wife, Mrs. Beatie Teasley, from whom he lives apart. It was stated, and reiterated with the youth for not attending school. He is said to have wrestled a revolver from the youth. The weapon exploded during the melee. Then the youth seized a rifle and escaped to the hills near by.

DESPONDENT WOMAN FAILS TO KILL SELF.

Despondent because of ill health, Mrs. Wilhelmina Ahrens, 64 years of age, of 1414 North Griffin avenue, yesterday attempted to end her life by sealing the cracks around the door of her bedroom with blankets and turning on the gas. Mrs. Ahrens forgot to close her windows and when found by her husband was unconscious but not dead. She was removed to the Receiving Hospital. Police surgeons say she will recover.

PLEADS GUILTY ON BAD CHECK CHARGE.

J. H. Crumbolt, formerly a lieutenant in the Army, changed his plea yesterday in Judge Reeve's court from not guilty to guilty of the first count in a complaint against him, charged with issuing a check for \$350 on the Empire Trust Company of New York when he had not sufficient funds in that bank. The defendant filed an application for probation, hearing on which was set for the 31st inst.

Paris Fashions in False Teeth.

PARIS, Jan. 6.—We may safely predict for the coming season that styles in artificial teeth will include smoothly cushioned in place by means of the dental plate comfort powder, Corea.

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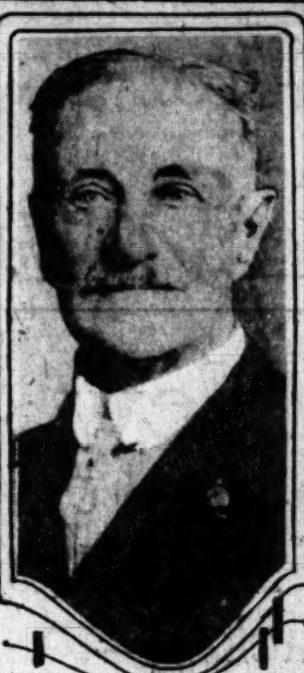
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Capt. J. Howard Young.

TAPS FOR PIONEER WRITER FOR "TIMES."

CAPT. J. HOWARD YOUNG, CIVIL WAR VETERAN, IS DEAD AT SOLDIER'S HOME.

Taps will be sounded at the Soldiers' Home at Sawtelle at 2 p.m. today for Capt. J. Howard Young, oldest correspondent of The Times, who died last Wednesday night at the home.

Capt. Young has been The Times correspondent at the Soldiers' Home since his admission into the institution in 1912. There has not been an event of importance there which he has not written for the benefit of The Times. All that the captain wrote for newspaper publication has been carefully clipped by him and has been formed into eight volumes which are one of the most important features of the home's library.

SEEK COUNCIL PLACES.

W. C. Muehst and W. E. Purviance Take Out Nomination Papers.

W. C. Muehst, of 827 North Kenmore avenue, and W. E. Purviance, of 1804 Roosevelt street, took out nomination papers for the City Council yesterday afternoon, making the total number of candidates to date for the May 3 primaries thirty-eight.

The total number of candidates to date for the Board of Education reached twenty yesterday, when Mrs. Charlotte A. Bass, of 322 Central avenue, C. L. Chin, of 4721 Clinton street, and C. Elliott Miller, of 1227 South New Hampshire street, took out blank nomination papers.

EXPLOSION ACCIDENTAL.

Detectives Close Investigation of Elks Celebration Mishap.

Stating that the explosion of gasoline and red fire that injured three men at a celebration conducted by the Elks at Eighth and Flower streets Wednesday evening was an accident, police detectives yesterday closed the investigation. None of the injured, according to the police, will suffer any serious results from their burns.

From what could be learned to date the explosion was caused by about twenty-five cans of red fire and some gasoline which was being used to add to the rapid spread of the fire.

The three men burned are Oscar L. Bailey, 1620 West Third street; Edwin L. Menschik, of 1248 Wright street, and Lieut. Haguewood of the fire department.

MASTER PICTURE CASE ECHO IN MILWAUKEE.

RACINE MAN WHO INDORSED NOTES FOR W. J. CONNER IS BANKRUPT.

A distant echo of the Master Picture Corporation, W. J. Conner case which had an airing here in December was heard yesterday from Milwaukee when J. M. Jones, a Racine (Wis.) business man, filed a petition of bankruptcy in the Federal court. Mr. Jones endorsed notes to the extent of \$20,000 for Conner and he owes the First National Bank of Hollywood \$60,000 on a mortgage secured by 1510 acres of California land and the National Bank and Trust Company of Pasadena, \$40,000. His assets are scheduled as worth \$192,972.

Conner was arrested in December charged with violation of the Corporate Securities Act in dealing with the National Bank and Trust Company.

ENTERTAIN DISABLED HEROES.

Four automobile loads of disabled service men from the Thorncrest Sanatorium in Glendale were entertained yesterday by the American League of Penwomen. They saw the performance of "Loving Lips" at the New Symphony Theater, had dinner at a Boos Brothers cafeteria and were taken home in Yellow taxis, all through the courtesy of those concerned.

## COURT DECIDES OLDLAND FIGHT

William B. Edwards Winner of Locally Famous Suit.

Ten-Year War Waged Over Riverside County Farm.

Rehearing is Hoped for by Defendant's Counsel.

The United States Supreme Court has spoken the last word on the locally famous land suit, involving a quarter section of land in the Palo Verde Valley, Riverside county, for which William B. Edwards and Corrick H. Botkin, a retired Methodist minister, have been contending for more than ten years. The court of last resort ruled in favor of Mr. Edwards. The 140 acres is one of the Edwards' farms in that section of Riverside county and is said to be worth \$45,000. But the title to the tract will not pass until the disposition of a motion to grant Mr. Botkin a rehearing.

The fight, so far as the records of the local Federal court are concerned, dates back to 1912. It was before the local Land Office, the Commissioner of the General Land Office and the Secretary of the Interior for several years before that time and it is one of the features of the case that on questions of fact all of the decisions of these various departments were in favor of Botkin.

BOTKIN HARASSSED. In the spring of 1912 Botkin was in possession of the tract, although Edwards had lived on it for some time previously. Botkin had hard moved his family to the land and they were harassed by Edwards and a number of his friends, with a view to compelling them to get out of the country and leave the farm to Edwards.

In June, 1912, the exasperating conditions were brought to the attention of the local Federal authorities, and William B. Edwards, Robert L. Depper, John McLaren, Lee Wells, William Wells and Arch Robinson, were indicted by the Federal grand jury on charges of interfering with the exercise of Botkin's constitutional rights. A jury in Judge Wellborn's court found Edwards and Culppepper guilty, and acquitted John McLaren, William Wells and Arch Robinson. Edwards and Culppepper were sentenced to spend four months in the Riverside County Jail, with a fine of \$100.

No sooner was Edwards out of jail than he resumed his litigation for possession of the tract, appearing in his own behalf. Later on he secured the legal assistance of Henry M. Wilson, who was with him to the end. Edwards brought an action to oust Botkin from the tract, and Judge Bledsoe sustained the demurrer to the complaint. Then an appeal was taken and the United States Circuit Court of Appeals reversed Judge Bledsoe, and the case came before Judge Trippe. Don V. Noland, who represented Botkin, is optimistic that a rehearing will be granted, when the side of Botkin will be shown.

LABOR SAVING LARGE FEATURE OF CIRCUS.

ELECTRIC TEN RAISER AND GAS STAKE DRIVER ARE EX-PERTS' INVENTIONS.

Labor-saving devices play an important part in the erection and moving of the A. G. Barnes big touring wild-animal circus, which is coming to Los Angeles Monday for one week at Prager Park. The electric tent raiser is a valuable adjunct to this is the invention of Bill Schiller, the mechanical expert of the show, who is responsible for a number of ideas in circus construction entirely by unique.

Years ago, he perfected the gasoline stake driver, a common use with all big shows, but his tent raiser is not yet on the market, owing to its susceptibility to short circuits in wet weather; however, this is fast being remedied. By its use the big tents are set up much quicker than by the old method and with less canvasmen. Both the old-time gangs of stake-drivers and canvasmen are passing.

Nowadays, people of mechanical turn of mind welcome any labor-saving machine, be it of a simple nature, or an assistance in the manufacture of shoes or sweeping the streets. In this connection, Schiller, who is a native of California, is in the wagon, the entire operation done in a hurry.

Novel machinery partly accounts for the Barnes Shows usually arriving in town on time, owing to its quick loading the night before. With the engine and train crews ready, no time is lost in making the run to the next town.

TO DEBATE KANSAS ARBITRATION PLAN.

The plan for compulsory arbitration of labor disputes, as incorporated in the Kansas Industrial Code, will be the subject of a debate next Friday in Trinity Auditorium. A team from the University of Southern California will uphold the Kansas plan, and representatives of Columbia University, New York, oppose it. Former Secretary of the Interior Lane, Judge Myers and Dr. J. A. Scherer, president of the California Institute of Technology, have been asked to judge the contest.

NEW "WHITE HOPE" ARRIVES.

In a unique announcement card Allen M. Culver, local agent for the Pacific States Company, yesterday acquainted his friends with the arrival of a "new white hope," in the person of John Howard Young, born last Sunday. The addition of the Culver household is described in the announcement card as: "Wein V. Young, 10 pounds; each eye thing in sight; height, high G; voice, tenor; chest expansion, about forty inches; training quarters, 2801 Madison avenue; chief trainer, Mrs. Allen M. Culver; sparring partner, Mrs. Allen M. Culver; intended occupation, President of the United States; nationality, Scotch."

## DIVORCE IS SEQUEL TO FLIRTATION.

Two Couples Get Freedom; Millionaire's Son Given Decree in Love Tangle.

As the result of a flirtation between Goldie George and Vernon Barnes, Judge Summerfield Wednesday severed the ties that bound James Wallace George to Goldie George and Martha Barnes to Vernon Barnes.

Mrs. George brought a suit for separate maintenance. Mr. George countered with a cross-complaint asking for a divorce. He brought in the name of Vernon Barnes. Mr. George is the son of R. W. George, a millionaire resident of Whittier. Mrs. Barnes sought a divorce and Mrs. George named. The suits were tried jointly, the evidence being the same in both. Detestable and a Santa Ana hotel figured in the evidence. Both Mrs. George and Mr. Barnes denied any indiscretions. The court awarded Mrs. Barnes half of the ranch property, an equity in the home and the custody of her child.

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The Levee family upheld its reputation for being "insane," although it was the husband, Attorney Frederick E. Levee, who could not be found yesterday. On another occasion, after a girl tourist at the Hotel Northern had been soundly thrashed by Mrs. Levee, an utter stranger to her, Mrs. Levee was missing and was found only after detectives took up the search.

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## "SURE, HIS NAME WE CELEBRATE."

St. Patrick and the Old Sod Much Honored Here.

Picnics of Irish and Those Who Wish They Were.

Windup at Trinity Under Hibernian Auspices.

Sure 'twas St. Patrick's Day in the mornin', afternoon and evening yesterday, and various clubs, societies and organizations, Irish and otherwise, made known the fact to thousands of people with St. Patrick's Day dinners, picnics and other entertainments.

The largest and accredited the most Irish celebration was held at Trinity Auditorium last night under the auspices of the National Association of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Ancient Order of Hibernians. There gathered hundreds of people who had attended minor celebrations throughout the day, and hundreds of other men and women and children who, no matter what were their ideas on the recognition of the Irish republic, expressed with great applause their common liking for the music of old Erin. The program was first, last and all the time Irish. There were songs of the Ireland of yesterday as well as today, and addresses made by several speakers told the history of the green isle across the sea, its attainments and its future purpose.

A vivid description of present-day realities in Ireland was given by Mrs. Mary P. McWhorter, president of the National Association of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, who recently returned from a trip in that country. Preceding Mrs. McWhorter on the program were Rev. George Donahoe, C. F. Horan, president, division one of the order; W. J. Ford, State vice-president of the American Society for the Recognition of the Irish Republic, and P. P. O'Brien, who presided. Before the opening address the auditorium was filled beyond capacity, and by the time the first Irish song had been sung scores of people were at the doors seeking entrance. Between the addresses and the solo several vaudeville artists from the Pantheater Theater performed in Irish specialties.

HARD TO FIND.

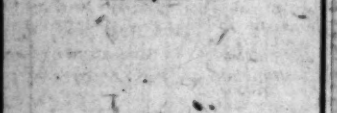
A freak feature of the affair that was not on the program was enacted at the door of the auditorium when a man, of distinctive Irish personality, finding that there had been too many ahead of him, walked back and forth before the doorman, evidently searching for something. The doorman, who had told the man that the place was crowded, was finally told to ask him what he was looking for. The man stopped, looked into the auditorium and replied, "The jabsers Oims lookin' for justice."

A benefit ball game between the Chicago Cubs yesterday afternoon informally opened the local campaign of the American Committee for Relief in Ireland to raise \$150,000 for nonpolitical and nonsectarian relief work in that country. Children from southern counties are expected to gather in 250,000 and the city of Los Angeles the honor of the game. C. A. Lyman is executive secretary of the local drive.

Contributions made yesterday started the drive well on its way. Fifty per cent of the net profits of Marcel's Cafe yesterday were contributed to the fund, it was announced by J. Museo, manager. This evening at 6:30 o'clock there will be a meeting at Jahnke's Tavern of the



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Write for Free Book: Cuticura Soap and Ointment, P.O. Box 100, Station 1, Toledo, Ohio.

## FARM MAGAZINE IS GEM SECTION.

Articles Vital to Stockmen and all Agriculturalists in Sunday "Times."

Why should Boston be the wool center of the United States? Why is not Los Angeles the assembling point for the Southwest's wool supplies, as indeed for a lot of other raw materials that are fairly crowding its doors?

These and other pertinent questions are asked and discussed by a prominent stockman in the next Sunday Times Farm and Tractor section.

The next Farm Magazine will be one of the best issued during the three years since this popular department was added to the Sunday Times family. It will contain eight wonderful pages of rotogravure illustrations depicting agricultural activities in the Pacific Southwest, together with sixteen pages of "black and white" and in the twenty-four pages will be packed a wealth and variety of text and pictorial material.

There is a beautiful picture page on home gardening and on another page is told in photographic form the story of the first all-water shipment of citrus fruits from Southern California to England.

A page that everyone will want to read will tell history and picture how the young artillerymen who man the huge coast defense guns at San Pedro are learning to run tractors and raise chickens so as to be the better fitted for the civilian life after they doff the khaki.

And there is story of how the greatest of the herds of the famous Ormsby strain has been brought to the San Fernando Valley to swell the ranks of the Southland's Holsteindom. The Garden Beautiful and Poultry section pages are also of unusual interest.

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seven teams and their captains, who are directing the campaign which closes the 35th year.

Over in Frager Park, "Uncle Moe" Loewenstein picked St. Patrick's Day to close his carnival, which has been open since the 1st, to raise funds for a May outfit for the Los Angeles poor.

The annual dinner-dance of the Optimists Club was given in the ballroom of the Ambassador last night with St. Patrick's Day trimmings. A chorus costumed to please the hearts of lovers of all of nature's colors gave a four-entertainment specialties.

The most popular songs at the pavilion in Westlake Park last night were "Mother Machree," "My Wild Irish Rose" and "Where the River Flows," sung by William Steffen. During the dinner hour there was a special St. Patrick's Day program followed by special selections of Gaelic music played by the orchestra.

At Glendale the Madrigal Club, consisting of twenty-five singers directed by Mrs. Charles A. Parker, honored the day with the aid of the Knights of Columbus with an Irish concert. Between songs Miss Keller's pupils danced old Irish reels. With tables decorated in green the Jonathan Club gave a St. Patrick's Day dinner at the club last night. The Greeters of Southern California gave a similar dinner at home.

While diverse St. Patrick's Day celebrations were taking place in other parts of the city, former residents of the State of Nebraska found themselves joining the general festivities with an annual reunion and picnic at Sycamore Grove. The picnic had been postponed from last Saturday, and, as was declared, could not have been postponed to a better day, for seldom has Sycamore Grove been called upon to accommodate such a crowd as gathered there yesterday.

TWENTY THOUSAND ATTEND. It was estimated by C. J. H. Parsons, secretary of the Federation of State Societies, that fully 20,000 persons attended the affair. With a bright sun shining down through the budding sycamores and the emerald green hills in the background, the day was ideal for a picnic and a treat to St. Patrick over the coffee cups. Never in the history of Sycamore Grove had there been such throngs at a picnic so early in the season, veterans of the grove declared.

"If the other State societies turn out this way," said Mr. Parsons, "we'll either have to get a larger park or go back to the woods." From Echo street to Avenue 48, a distance of almost half a mile, automobiles were lined up on the Pasadena avenue in three rows, while all side streets within six blocks of the grove were jammed with cars. Officers of a special traffic squad at the grove estimated that there were more than 2000 automobiles parked about the park.

A speaking program was given in which Col. Frank L. True, president of the Federation of State Societies, Ross Hammond, George C. Craver, C. H. Parson and F. M. Rublee, president of the Nebraska State Society, took part. Rev. H. F. Pugh delivered the invocation. The next Nebraska picnic will be held in August, it was announced.

## JUDGE SAYS SUICIDE IS BETTER THAN DOPE.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WRITER)

SAN DIEGO, March 17.—In sentencing John Pirtle, who had pleaded guilty to selling morphine and to having large quantities of drugs in his possession, U. S. District Judge Bledsoe today said:

"You would better commit suicide if you haven't the will power to stand away from using morphine once you have received the cure. I am going to sentence you to the Federal penitentiary, where you will receive the cure. If you can't keep away from the morphine after that, you will be an economic menace and better off dead."

Pirtle was sentenced to serve a term of three years.

## SALVATION ARMY WORK IS MAPPED.

Advisory Boards Vote on Home Service Budget for Year in Southland.

A convention of the members of the Southern California advisory boards of the Salvation Army, together with representatives of the various county and city advisory boards, was held at Jahnke's Tavern Wednesday. The convention opened at 10 o'clock with an address by Brig. Gen. Boyd, the divisional commander.

Maj. Louis Coggeshall of the Truelove Home delivered an address on the work of the maternity home and the general rescue work of the Salvation Army in Southern California. Brig. W. H. Goding spoke of the industrial and social work of the Salvation Army, describing in detail the industrial home and the poor men's hotels. He also spoke of the increase in the number of applications for employment, and told of the work the Salvation Army is doing in finding jobs.

At the afternoon session Brig. Boyd discussed in detail the 1920 home service accomplishments and presented to the convention Harry M. Ticker of Pasadena, the chairman of the Southern California advisory board. Mr. Ticker spoke of his work and pledged the brigadier the united support of various advisory boards for the Salvation Army program. He presented the 1921 home service budget to the convention, which, after discussion, was unanimously adopted. This budget was for \$101,490.

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At the afternoon session Charles Donlon, president of the First National Bank of Oxnard, and also president of the California Elks Association, addressed the convention and offered to take charge of the relief of Ventura county's share of the funds necessary to carry out the 1921 home service program.

## Rent Ordinance in Los Angeles is Held Invalid.

A blow was dealt the recently enacted rent ordinance when Judge Burnell yesterday sustained demurrers to the actions filed in the suits brought by B. W. Schneider, the court declaring the ordinance unconstitutional.

Mr. Schneider attempted to oust Lena E. Marcus and E. J. Stokes from his property for failure to pay \$43 a month rent in each case. The answers set up that \$20 a month was a reasonable rent in each case. It was contended that the ordinance precluded charging more than a reasonable amount. Mr. Schneider was represented by Attorney Harry G. Radloff.

Attorney Walter Gould Lincoln, champion of the renters, says an appeal will be taken from Judge Burnell's ruling.

## READY TO TRY AGAIN.

Imperial Oil Company May Test Well at Brawley Today.

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.) BRAWLEY, March 17.—The Imperial Oil and Development Company was removed today and the company that prevented work on the well yesterday was scraped off, which will permit the workmen to resume pumping today tomorrow. According to Howard Moore, treasurer of the company, everything will be in readiness in the morning for the test.

The rubber for the packer, which was damaged yesterday in the pumping attempt, arrived here last night from Los Angeles and will be put in place tomorrow. Three sections of two and one-half-inch tubing were taken out yesterday and scraped and will be ready for the rubber in the morning.

The gas pressure today is the same as it has been and officials of the company stated that they believe a large commercial well exists in this field.

## New President is Elected by Fresno Chamber

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)

FRESNO, March 17.—C. T. Carley yesterday was elected president of the Fresno County Chamber of Commerce for the current year. George E. Waterman became vice-president and F. A. Homan, secretary.

In a rearrangement of duties and responsibilities of executives made necessary by the increased business of the Fresno county chamber and especially the taking over of the management of the State Festival, District Fair, and speedway promotion, directors of the organization yesterday created the office of manager and placed in that position H. E. Patterson, former secretary. The directors have decided to make a determined effort to gain for Fresno a branch of the University of California to be established in connection with the State Normal School here, and also an agricultural school at Kearney Park.

## FIGHTS COUNTY UNIT MEASURE.

Education Board Secretary Instructed to Protest to Legislature.

The secretary of the Board of Education was instructed yesterday to send a letter to the Legislature protesting against the County Unit Bill, now being considered.

It was the opinion of the committee of the whole of the school board that this measure, if passed, would seriously affect the schools of Los Angeles city.

Melville C. Dozier, chairman of the committee of the whole, declared yesterday that the bill provides for the establishment of county units for the control of the public schools in place of the district board as now constituted.

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Every dress unusual in style, quality and price—all specially purchased for this great Pre-Easter sale of ready-to-wear at 10.00.

Styles the same as you will find in many dresses priced much higher than the materials used in these garments are of extra fine quality—every garment throughout.

You will find dozens of styles for your selection in long waisted, tunic and draped effects. Beaded, embroidered and braid trimmed models in many styles. Owing to the extraordinary values offered in this sale we must limit three dresses to each customer. Make your selection early today at 10.00.

(Hamburger's—Downstairs Store—Today)

## The Result of a Special Purchase, We are Offering Today

# 500 Women's Bungalow Aprons,

### Spring Voiles, 48c

40-inch fancy voiles in a big range of pretty floral and fancy patterns in good colorings. 5000 yards in this advance shipment just received and marked way low today at 48c yard.

### 40-Inch Pussy Willow Dress Silks, Yard, 2.95

This well-known weave can be had in several pretty patterns, including sports stripes, figures and floral patterns, all sale priced at 2.95 the yard.

### 40-Inch Wool and Cotton Plaids, Special, 98c Yard

These are excellent quality part wool plaids in the 40-inch width—several attractive patterns for dresses and skirts.

### 40-In. Georgette Crepe, 1.39

These also are of splendid quality for summer waists, dresses—choose from a complete line of street and evening shades.

### 24-Inch Prints, Yard 10c

These are in a big range of wanted patterns on dark grounds—splendid for aprons and dresses.

### Unbleached Muslin, 15c Yd.

36 inches in width—you will find this grade of muslin serviceable for sheets, pillow cases and other home uses.

### 72x90 Seamless Sheets, 98c

Made from full bleached sheeting and neatly finished with 3 and 1-inch hems ready for use. 40 dozen in this group today at 98c.

### 72x80 Comfortables, 2.98

These are well filled with fine white cotton and are covered with soft floral coverings in attractive patterns.

### 36-In. Long Cloth, Yd. 20c

Firmly woven quality ready for the needle. 500 yards on special sale today at 20c the yard.

(Hamburger's—Downstairs Store—Today)

## Men's Balbriggan Underwear, 49c

Lightweight balbriggan shirts or drawers in ecru shade. Short sleeved shirts and ankle length drawers. Sizes 38 to 44, special the garment at 49c.

## Women's Fine Cotton Stockings, 25c Pair

Choose from black, white and brown cotton stockings, well-reinforced where the wear is the greatest. All regular sizes in these fine quality stockings at 25c the pair today.



## Bungalow Aprons

These also are of fine percale, well made and variety of patterns and trimmings. Light or medium colored piping. The sizes in this group range from 36 to 48 inches. Make your selection in the Downstairs Store.

## Priscilla Aprons at

In large plaids or small checked ginghams and styles with V neck. Very large novelty pattern trimmed with rick rack braid. All are full cut. Regular sizes, sale priced at 1.25 today.

(Hamburger's—Downstairs Store—Today)

## Women's Sports Oxfords 2.48 and 3.98

Canvas sports oxfords and one or two eyelet ties or cross straps. The very newest models for spring and Easter wear. You will find a complete range of sizes in the lot, sale priced at 2.48 and 3.98 pair.

## Women's Comfort Shoes, 3.48

High or low comfort shoes made with the flexible soles and rubber heels that make them so comfortable for around the house wear. You will find these in all sizes—choose from this special new purchase today at 3.48 the pair.

(Hamburger's—Downstairs Store—Today)

## Drapery Remnants, Half Price

These remnants consist of voiles, nets, cretonnes, scrims, marisettes and more to 3 yards. All at half the regular prices, today.

### 9x12 Velvet Rugs 29.95

A good assortment of Oriental and floral patterns and colorings. This is a seamless good quality velvet rug.

(Hamburger's—Downstairs Store—Today)

### 40-Inch Filet Curtains Nets at 69c Yard

Notice the generous width of the filet curtains net. You will find them in white, cream and navy blue.

(Hamburger's—Downstairs Store—Today)

## Boys' Wash Suits, 1.95

A special group of wash suits in Billy Boy Middy and Oliver Twist styles. Sizes 3 to 8 years. Fine materials and well made. All underpriced for today at 1.95.

## Women's and Misses' Sweaters, 2.39

Tie back styles in black, navy, turquoise, coral, brown and peacock. Woolen sweaters finished with tuxedo collar and sash in sizes for women and misses at 2.39 each.

(Hamburger's—Downstairs Store—Today)

## 200 Pairs Women's Batiste Bloomers, 79c

Flesh colored batiste bloomers and misses. These have been specially purchased for this sale and are finished with rick rack braid. All are full cut. Regular sizes, sale priced today at 79c.

## Men's Work Socks

Heavy blue and white mixed socks in the 10 and 12 inch sizes. All regular sizes at 25c.

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